

# City Revises Plan For Compliance With Local Housing Code

Woodland Park Given One Year, Backwoods Neighborhood 10 Years To Meet City Code Standards; Yards Section and Town Mountain Excluded

The City Board of Commissioners last week passed a resolution adopting a revised official plan for Housing Code Compliance activity within the city limits.

Four steps in the revised plan were agreed upon:

1. Strict enforcement of the Housing Code on the 1,089 substandard houses in Hazard as they become vacant, with no utilities provided the dwelling until it has been brought up to standard.

2. A program to educate the public to the need of housing codes and their enforcement, intending to aid in getting substandard houses up to standard.

3. Division of the City into neighborhoods and the establishment of completion dates for inspection of each house in the neighborhood, with estimates of the number of years before all houses there can be brought up to city standards.

4. Excluding from the existing list of City neighborhoods subject to the housing code the Yards Section and Town Mountain, since they are outside the corporate limits of the City. Liberty Street is also deleted because of the urban renewal projects now underway there.

According to the new resolution, the following are the neighborhoods subject to enforcement of the City's Housing Code, listed in the order of enforcement priority:

**Downtown:** There are 13 unsound units in this neighborhood, by Housing Code standards, over 14 per cent classified as substandard. Urban renewal is expected to demolish the worst of these, which will enable the section to meet with Code requirements.

**Baker-Oakhurst-Cedar Streets Section:** This neighborhood contains 243 housing units, 88 of them classified as only in fair condition. It is allotted eight years in which to comply with the Code requirements.

**Backwoods:** The Backwoods has 53 substandard houses and 151 classed as fair. Ten years have been allotted to this neighborhood in which to comply with the housing regulations.

**Big Bottom:** There are two poor structures and 52 classed as fair here. It must comply with the Code requirements within six years.

**LaCitadelle:** This neighborhood contains 22 housing units, all of which are classed as standard, and presently in compliance with the City Housing Code.

**Allais:** This neighborhood contains a total of 52 houses, only one of which is considered standard. It has 19 fair houses and 32 poor ones. Allais has five years from now to meet with the City Code requirements.

**Walkertown:** A total of 241 housing units are located in Walkertown, 69 of them standard, 172 class-

ed fair or poor. Ten years have been allotted to this neighborhood in which to bring itself up to City standard.

**Woodland Park:** Sixty-one houses are located here, 57 of them good, two poor and two fair. Since there are only four structures here that need attention, Woodland Park is allotted one year in which to comply.

**Wabaco:** This neighborhood contains 86 houses, 31 considered good, 49 fair and 8 poor. A compliance time of three years has been given Wabaco.

The Housing Code was first established in Hazard January 5, 1959 when the City Commission adopted an ordinance titled The Minimum Standards Housing Ordinance.

The Code Compliance Program was begun December 31, 1963. The new resolution is a revision of that year-old plan.



Operation Christmas Basket

The Jaycees annual charity project, "Operation Christmas Basket," this year raised over \$1,000 with its coin-collection booth, on Main Street, above, and through solicitation campaigns among Hazard businessmen. The money supplied 300 families with baskets of food for Christmas. The Jaycees mailed out 300 cards to Perry County families informing them of their eligibility to receive a basket. Most of the baskets were claimed by mid-afternoon today.

## Hazard High, M.C. Napier Students Place High In Essay Contest

County winners were selected at two levels in an Essay Contest sponsored jointly by the Louisville Courier-Journal, Louisville Times, Radio Station WHAS and the Perry County Soil Conservation District Supervisors.

The Essay judged first in the county was written by Carolyn Fields, student of Hazard High School; second place was written by Delora Davidson, student of M. C. Napier High School, and third place winner was written by Jane Holliday, student of Hazard High School.

County winners in the Junior Contest, grades 4 through 8, sponsored by the Perry County Soil Conservation District Supervisors were: Elizabeth Barret, first place, student of Roy G. Eversole Elementary; Danny Martin, second place, student of Combs Grade School; and

Roger Cornett, third place, student of Walkertown Elementary.

First and second place winners will be sent to the Louisville Courier-Journal before December 31 to be judged for state awards.

### Best Wishes From Hazard Herald Staff

We wish to make this a personal message to each and everyone at this Christmas Season. We wish to take this means or personally wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

Our merchants and business people have been the finest the past year and have contributed to our successful year, for which we are humbly grateful. Trusting that everyone in our area enjoys a good business through Christmas and the coming year, we again wish to say MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nolan and Staff of The Hazard Herald

### Banks To Close For Christmas Holidays

Hazard banks will be closed on Christmas Day, Friday, and Saturday as well, in observance of Banker's Holiday, it has been announced.

Normal banking hours will resume Monday.

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## ARH May Be Helped By Federal Government

The Office of Economic Opportunity has taken a personal interest in Hazard's Appalachian Regional Hospital and nine others like it, which may be an optimistic clue to the hospital chain's future.

ARH head Dr. Karl Klicka two days ago asked the federal government for \$2 million to meet a financial crisis that will come to a head in about three months. Without the money, he said, the hospitals might not survive.

The new crisis in already hard-pressed Appalachia was seen by some observers as a serious threat to the federal government's plan to lift the region out of its depression. High officials in the Office of Economic Opportunity have met to study the possibility of aiding the hospitals through the

anti-poverty act. Other ways of giving federal aid to the hospitals are also being considered. "These hospitals, in my judgment, are not going to close," said an Administration official close to the problem. "There are many ways that could be found to get them over their present problems."

The 10 hospitals, located in coal-producing counties of Kentucky, West Virginia, and Virginia, are making enough money to pay all operating expenses, according to the Administration.

The problem is that they

ExHerald Reporter

Ben Fitzpatrick

Ends Army Course



LT. JAMES B. FITZPATRICK

Second Lt. James B. Fitzpatrick, 23, whose wife, Eva, lives at 204 Fields Street, Hazard, Ky., completed a nine-week officer orientation course at the U. S. Army Adjutant General School, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, December 17.

During the course Lieutenant Fitzpatrick received instruction in the basic functions and principles of the Army's administrative field.

Lieutenant Fitzpatrick was associate editor of the Hazard Herald before entering the Army. A member of Sigma Delta Chi fraternity and of Seaboard and Blade society, he received his bachelor of arts degree from the University of Kentucky, in 1963 and his master's degree from the University of Florida, Gainesville, in 1964. His parents live at 226 Poplar Street.

Former Hazard Man

Daniel L. Prichard

Dies In Memphis

Mr. Daniel L. Prichard, of Booneville, Mississippi, died of a heart attack at a hospital in Memphis, Tennessee, at 9 p.m. Sunday, December 20.

He was a former Hazard resident, having served as mining engineer for the Midland Mining Company at Tribbey for a number of years.

His wife who survives him is the former Miss Mary Baker, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, of Hazard. He is also survived by two sons, R. B. and David H., and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Booneville Tuesday, December 22, at 2 p.m. Burial followed in the Booneville Cemetery.



State Police Plan Radar, Roadblocks During Holidays

State Police will be out in force over the Christmas and New Year holiday weekends to try to hold down Kentucky's soaring highway accident rate. The Troopers will keep a close eye on roads and drivers through use of roadblocks and radar in a five-county area. In the photo at upper left, Trooper Paul Russell is shown setting up radar in a State Police cruiser during a recent exercise. Upper right, Sgt. Willard Mitchell, aligns a radar screen with passing traffic. Below Russell and Sgt. Mitchell, check traffic at a roadblock at Christopher during the Thanksgiving holidays. Police urge all motorists to drive with extreme caution on the highways that will be crowded with holiday traffic.

## Candidates For Primary Total 30

Recent names placed on the May primary ballot for local public offices have brought the total number of persons who have filed so far to 30.

Here is a run-down on those who have made formal application for places on the ballot:

County Judge: Harve Hensley, Dice, Democrat; County Clerk: Fred "Bosco" Steele, Hazard, Democrat; County Sheriff: J. E. Combs, Hazard, Democrat; Yancy Amis, Buckhorn, Democrat; Ira Kilburn, Avawam, Republican; Crit Begley, Hazard, Republican; Coroner: George Archer, Democrat, Christopher; Justice of the Peace, District One: Monroe Riley, Gays Creek, Republican; Luther Rice, Saul, Republican; McKinley McIntosh, Buckhorn, Republican; Sam Rile,

Constable, District 4: Jerry Fugate, Hazard, Republican; Orla Davis, Hazard, Republican; Paul Crawford, Hazard, Democrat; Ames Salyers, Hard, Curly, Democrat; Clarence Collins, Lothair, Democrat; Edgar Mullins, Lotts Creek, Democrat; Constable, District 5: Dillard Akers, Happy, Democrat;

Justice of the Peace: George Colwell, Busy, Republican; Kelly Baker, Yerkes, Republican; James "Big" Williams, Butterfly, Democrat;

No one has as yet announced his candidacy for tax commissioner, county jailer, county surveyor, county attorney, Justice of the Peace in Districts 5 or 6 or 7, constable in Districts 1, 5, 6, 7, or 8.

# MERRY CHRISTMAS



# The Hazard Herald

K.P.A.'s "Best Freedom of Information" -- 1963-64

Thursday, December 24, 1964

## EDITORIAL

### Anti-Poverty Or Welfare?

No major governmental undertaking was ever launched without mistakes and wrong concepts. Something as large as a national war, whether against another nation, or against poverty in one's own country, is bound to creak and buck in its initial stages. Overlapping efforts, breaks in communications, duplication of work, temporary snafu in general are customary in the early stages of any kind of large mobilization of national resources. Reasonable people accept these nuisances in their stride and work to smooth out the "hugs."

If that kind of administrative error was the only fault already obvious in President Johnson's war on poverty, then we would have no quarrel. But the federal appropriation of anti-poverty money to Kentucky last week is symptomatic of a greater structural weakness than routine administrative foulup. Last week's appropriation indicates a basic misunderstanding on the part of the higher-ups, and misunderstandings of the nature of the problems and its suggested solutions are going to prove dangerous, and maybe even fatal, to the President's war on poverty.

On the surface, the federal appropriation of \$10.5 million to Kentucky last week is cause for rejoicing among dedicated poverty fighters. No doubt official poverty fighters all along the line felt a warm sense of accomplishment when that amount was made available to Kentucky, primarily Eastern Kentucky. Ten and a half million dollars is a lot of money and of course we're glad to have it. The only thing wrong with it is that it isn't anti-poverty money at all. It's only more welfare money that will merely perpetuate the poverty-level existence of several families for another year, then be gone.

Apparently Washington thinks the unemployed fathers are learning new trades and skills on the public works crews. The ten and a half million dollar grant last week was based on that assumption. Well, technically, the program is designed to give the unemployed what the bureaucrats call "the work experience," to make them more employable. The thinking is that if the federal government will provide the subsistence salary of a dollar an hour for the workers, local officials will provide tools, transportation, supervision and instruction in some specific skill.

When a man is out with his crew "repairing roads," the government assumes he is learning highway construction. When his crew is "reclaiming strip-mined areas," the government assumes someone is teaching him soil and forestry conservation. No one knows what skill or trade the government assumes the weed-cutting crews are learning.

But the fact is, no job-training at all is involved in the dollar an hour program, and therefore, it can't be called "anti-poverty." All the dollar an hour does is help a man and his family survive temporarily, which is welfare. That's why the federal appropriation last week is not going to fight poverty, any more than food stamps fight it.

The distinction between the terms "anti-poverty" and "welfare" must be realized by those who control the purse strings in this war on poverty, or the Economic Opportunity Act is not going to change anyone's environment, but perpetuate it instead, so that when the funds are finally all spent, the poor will have survived another year, or two or three or four years, but the basic circumstances that cause them to be poor will remain as they are today.

This is not to condemn the public-works projects in themselves. When the alternative to a dollar an hour project is mass starvation, the program can even seem like a good one. Neither is this to condemn the counties either for existing as they do on the constant edge of bankruptcy, providing tools, transportation and supervision for scores of workers, much less formal training, is a tall order. They do the best they can. And certainly this is not to condemn the men themselves, because in spite of their limitations, the results of their labor are apparent in the several of their projects already completed.

One of Eastern Kentucky's greatest needs is job training for the unskilled, or those who are skilled in obsolete trades. The public works projects for unemployed fathers is clearly failing this need. As a remedy, why not have the fathers report to classrooms every morning instead of to weed-cutting crews, so that they can learn a trade they can use, and that the prospective employer can use also? Subsidized allowances could be continued to maintain the man's family for the duration of his training, after which he could hopefully join the 80 per cent of State Vocational School graduates who find jobs.

Sound vocational training for twelve months would go a long way toward breaking the poverty cycle the 3660 fathers on the works crews are now caught up in. And ten and a half million dollars would buy a lot of training. Spent on the dollar an hour project, however, it amounts only to more welfare, which does no one any permanent good.

As we say, we don't want to add to the burden of those in office who are genuinely trying to do something about poverty in Eastern Kentucky by withholding our support at a crucial time. By the same token, we here in the mountains have the strong feeling that this current national concern with poverty is a one-shot deal, and that we can't afford to miss this time just because the powers that be don't understand the difference between the words, "anti-poverty" and "welfare."

## LUCKY

Rufus—Did you hear about the man who was murdered last night for his money?  
Geofus—Yes. Wasn't it lucky that he didn't have a cent on him at that time?

## IF CHRIST HAD NOT BEEN BORN

Suppose that Christ had not been born,  
That faraway Judean morn,  
Suppose that God, whose mighty hand  
Created worlds, had never planned  
A way for man to be redeemed.  
Suppose the Wise Men only dreamed  
That guiding Star whose light still glows  
Down through the centuries. Suppose  
Christ never walked here in men's sight  
Our blessed Way, the Truth, and Light!  
Suppose He counted all the cost,  
And never cared that we were lost,  
But, praise His Name, the Christ was born.  
That faraway Judean morn . . .  
Beloved of our Father God, whose mighty  
And never died for you and me,  
Nor shed His blood on Calvary  
Upon a shameful cross. Suppose  
That, having died, He never rose,  
And there were none with power to save  
Our souls from death beyond the grave!  
Oh, faraway Judean morn . . .  
Suppose that Christ had not been born!  
Created worlds; and while they stand,  
Redemption's door is open still.  
That guiding Star leads to Him now,  
And we may in the Presence bow  
Of Him who walked here in men's sight  
Our blessed Way, and Truth and Light!  
He never stopped to count the cost . . .  
Oh, how He loved His sheep—the lost!  
Christ gave His life for you and me,  
And shed His blood on Calvary,  
Upon a shameful Cross. But none  
Could overcome God's only Son! . . .  
Assurance of His power to save  
Our souls from death beyond the grave  
Oh, faraway Judean morn . . .  
We praise Him in a stable born!

## OUR READERS WRITE

### Pleased Reader Compliments Herald

Norris City, Illinois  
Box 351  
December 15, 1964

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Nolan:

Your excellent paper is always anticipated and news of relatives and friends is welcome in the daily routine of life. Those away from our mountains are so interested in everything that may give the eastern Kentucky section an economic and cultural boost and your editorials do just that.

May each member of the Herald staff have a Holiday Season replete with the blessings of life and, to you, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan, I want to wish you continued success in your publication, and a year of good health and prosperity.

HELEN C. MAY

### Herald Thanked For Editorial

To The Editor:

I sincerely appreciate the prominence you gave to the Social Security program in your editorial of Thursday, December 10, 1964.

We, who administer the Social Security program, do not advocate or promote any particular ideas of change in Social Security. Our primary responsibility is to operate the program in accordance to the wishes of the Congress. However, it is gratifying to realize that many people and organizations and fine newspapers such as yours are vitally interested in the program.

I would also like to compliment you on the accuracy of the technical statements in the editorial. Particularly is this true in your reference to retirement age at 65 or optionally at 62 and the earnings allowance an individual has while receiving benefits.

Again, many thanks for your interest in this vital federal program and if we can assist you in any way, please let us know.

JOHN G. GRAVES  
District Manager.

# The Meaning Of Christmas

Reverend and Mrs. E. Tipton Carroll, Sr.

WHAT IS THE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS? Is it merely a huge public show or display—a time for Santa Claus exchanging gifts, big parties, family dinners; what we can see, smell, touch, explain, put into a test tube, a bank vault, or split-level house? Is Christmas just a spectacle—the moving pageantry of angels; an unmarried maiden with child; an older man who tenderly takes her to wife; the arduous journey from Nazareth to Bethlehem; the barn-shelter for the excellent mother; the lowly birth in a humble manger; the heavenly choir; the Judean shepherds; the Wise Men following a strange star to bring gifts to a stranger Babe; an old man and woman seeing in this child the Promised Deliverer: the flight into Egypt to escape the wrath of jaundiced King Herod?

Let us come to grips with the Christmas fact. It is not enough to view the symbols, to read the lovely legends, to listen to the grand music and poetry. What is the ultimate purpose behind it all? What is the REAL meaning of Christmas? Christmas is a revelation—the unfolding, the disclosure, of a portion of the nature of God and His purpose for all men.

CHRISTMAS REVEALS SOMETHING OF THE QUALITY OF GOD'S MERCY. His mercy is a heavenly trait, not simply emotional pity or feeling sorrowful. At Christmas we see that mercy in active operation—God's compassion at work to rehabilitate, to save man from himself. At Christmas we see God relieving the miseries of His children. In the birth of Jesus we see God visiting and assuring us that He does not intend

to forget us with all our sorrows, sins, sacrifices, disappointments, defeats, despair, remorse, reprisals, rebuffs.

CHRISTMAS REVEALS SOMETHING OF THE NATURE OF GOD'S GRACE. At Christmas we see God reaching down to help us in every aspect of our need, unworthy as we are, of doing for us what we are unable to do for ourselves. At Christmas we see God's grace forgiving us and taking us into His loving embrace, restoring to us all the rights and privileges of sonship. At Christmas we see a dynamic revelation of God's grace through the birth of His Son, which reaches down, out, beyond duty, pure and unmerited, in order to forgive and save us.

CHRISTMAS REVEALS SOMETHING OF THE QUALITY OF GOD'S LOVE. No matter what else we may say about Christmas, it is the one illustrious, illuminating truth of God's love. "God so loved the world that He gave . . ." His love knows no bounds, no limits, no restrictions, it is infinite. Nothing we can do, have done or ever will do can separate us from the incomparable love of God. We may cause others to cease loving us, but not so the love of God. At Christmas God's indescribable love became flesh and dwelt among us. He, who out of love created us for blessing, has come to earth and become one with us in Jesus Christ. Christmas in its noblest expression is a revelation of God's love!

CHRISTMAS IS NOT SPECTACLE! CHRISTMAS IS REVELATION! Christmas is the anniversary of God's visit to man. Christmas is essentially and eternally an unveiling of the Almighty-Father-God's mercy, grace, and love to us all.

## EDITORIAL

### Cordia School Needs Support

Until public education became firmly established in Eastern Kentucky not too many years ago, church mission schools were the only source of education available to young people. The public school system has now largely replaced most of those private schools—Stuart Robinson, Buckhorn, Highland and Pine Mountain Settlement School are examples—and improved roads have made possible the rise even of consolidated schools here and there.

A few private institutions still survive in certain areas, however, where the need for them exists. And one of these is not far from Hazard: the Lotts Creek Community School, Inc., at Cordia.

Still maintaining dormitories and a small campus environment for mountain boys and girls who might not otherwise have a place to go to school, the Lotts Creek Community School is fulfilling a vital function. It helps meet the educa-

tional need of children that the public schools are not yet able to reach. It ministers to a need that, without the school, might be totally neglected.

An operation such as that of the Lotts Creek Community School is expensive, and as with all such institutions, funds must be constantly sought. Though located in the corner of Knott County, it is still a local school as far as we here in Hazard and Perry County are concerned, and it deserves all the local support that can be mustered.

At this Christmas season, what could be more appropriate than a cash gift to the Lotts Creek Community School, to help it carry on its valuable work with Eastern Kentucky youth? The sacrifice of some Christmas frill in behalf of the school would be a noble gesture, truly in keeping with the Christmas tradition of good will and generosity.

# "Tin Can Valley," A Story For Christmas Reading

CHRISTMAS—and— pathos in Tin Can Valley. Pathos, but not because it was the Yule Season, for a pathetic condition always was found in Hollis Hollow. Ragged and dirty women, ragged and dirty men! Careworn housewives trying to make their poorly contrived hacks worthy of the appellation "home," discouraged fathers trying to provide for their families on the city's dumping grounds—large cities are familiar with the scene and it is not uncommon to find back in the more remote sections of the thriving town or village those places where filth and dirt breed disease, crime, and pathos.

Tin Can Valley derived its name, not from the empty cans thrown away by its inhabitants but from the rubbish from the better parts of the city hauled out and dumped in a heap where it partially filled up a huge hollow near the beginning of the residential district. Time and time again the city authorities had planned to clean up the place and convert it into a beauty spot, but as sight of the population of this area—one room huts running over with children, cats, dogs and rats—they invariably lost heart and broke up in a dispute as to the method of providing houses for the ever-increasing number of people.

Tin Can Valley was never meant for a residential district no matter how menial the type of residents. It started as a rubbish heap, but not long after the city began to use Hollis Hollow as a dumping ground the poorest element drifted in and gleaned from the rubbish such things as might be used for their physical sustenance and shelter. Crude shacks were reared of store boxes and discarded sheets of tin; old stoves were patched and propped until they were able to give out a little warmth and heat for cooking; discarded bricks and stones were fashioned into crude

fireplaces and chimneys; other bits of materials considered useless in more prosperous sections of the city were eagerly seized by the inhabitants of Tin Can Valley and placed here and there, rigged up with boards, blocks, bricks and sticks, until various pieces of furniture were peculiarly manufactured out of practically nothing.

Being a resident of Tin Can Valley was nothing of which to be proud. Although the unique originality of its people might be commended, so many contagious diseases, so many criminal acts, and so much disturbance had been traced to the Valley that no one looked upon it with any degree of approval or approbation that is, not until the City Mission took it under its scope and sent house to house workers to call upon these miserable creatures who heretofore had been so woefully neglected.

Now the Christmas season was approaching. The large city stores temptingly displayed their gorgeous merchandise. Eyes grew large, ears opened wide, little minds were active and imaginations were stretched to the widest possible extent as children, watching and wondering, eagerly anticipated the joys of Christmas morning and the reception of the lovely toys they saw in shop windows, on laden counters, and in overflowing show rooms. The season was a time of joy for every one—for every one but the residents of Tin Can Valley. Little eyes were just as wide, ears could hear just as well, little minds were also active, and imaginations were plentiful, but there was no joy of anticipation. Tired mothers and downhearted fathers had brusquely informed their inquiring youngsters that gifts only came to those who were wealthy, those who had nice, beautiful homes like those on the hill, and never to Tin Can Valley. And as far as the older children could remember, gifts had never

come near Hollis Hollow. Occasionally some well-meaning church society had sent a basket or two with food and a few discarded tops, but discarded things were so common among the wretched boys and girls that was nothing to be excited about—nothing like they saw in the brilliantly lighted windows of the business section.

Jimmy lived in Tin Can Valley. His was one of the store box shacks of one room. One small window let in a little light by day and an old lamp gave light at night when Jimmy could sell a few papers, or Mother could wash a few dishes in a small restaurant where she sometimes worked as an extra, to buy oil after other necessities had been provided. Just like any other eight year old boy in the Valley, Jimmy was filled with natural pep and vim, but dampened by the depressing environment. They were all wretched looking representatives of glowering childhood.

One day a lady visited the little shack where Jimmy and his widowed mother lived. She smiled so sweetly and spoke so kindly that Jimmy wondered where she had come from. Surely not from the city. His little playmates had told him those people were all crass and mean. Finally he ventured the question, "Wh. where did you come from?"

"Not far from here, Sonny," she had replied. "We call it City Mission. I came to help you people here in the Hollow."

"How?" this was something new to Jimmy. No one but Mother had ever offered to help him before.

"First by telling you a beautiful story," she answered and immediately began the story of the First Christmas.

Jimmy listened intently. This was so strange, so unreal, so impossible, and yet—why this Babe must have been born in a place something like Tin Can Valley, he decided. But this lady had said that wealthy men brought

Him pretty gifts, costly gifts, because He was a King. After the lady had gone, the boy thought over and over the words she had spoken. That night he crept out under the stars and looked up. It was bitterly cold. He shivered and drew his coat more closely about his body. Not noting the crunching steps in the crisp snow that lay on the ground, he gazed intently Heavenward.

"Whatcha doin', Jim?" a gruff voice spoke close to his ear as a figure halted near him.

"Lookin' fer the star," he answered.

"Hadin' oughta have any trouble. Plenty of 'em up there," the man replied.

"Not the start that showed were the Baby was on the first Christmas Day," Jimmy explained.

"Better go in an' git warm," the neighbor advised, and trudged on his own little shack, but thinking—a Baby and Christmas. Yes. There was meaning to Christmas after all. He remembered the story when he was a boy, but he had forgotten about the real heart of the story. He straightened up as he opened the door. One time he had happiness when he knew that story. Perhaps he could find it again.

It was the day before Christmas. The Mission lady again came to see Jimmy and his mother, and this time she invited them both to the Mission that night. And such wonderful things she promised. Lovely music and the Christmas story, but best of all—gifts, real gifts for each of them! Jimmy clapped his hands with delight. "But won't you tell me about the Baby again right now?" he entreated.

"It is because of Him," she had finished after repeating the narrative, "that I am here today and that the Mission is giving gifts to you tonight. He has told us to go and tell others."

Jimmy had never seen anything so wonderful in his life. It was even better than the shop windows and stores. He and his mother sat very

near the front. A large number of boys and girls sang joyously that old Christmas hymn, "Joy to the World," and then a man arose and spoke a few words, after which a lady, his Mission lady, sang all about the little town of Bethlehem. Then he remembered. That was the town where the Baby was born. But the man was speaking again. He was telling the story all over again only he didn't end with the wise men; he told how the Baby grew into a little boy and became a man, and did wonderful things, helping people, healing them when they were sick, and teaching them how to live. And then—Jimmy's eyes filled with tears—then some cruel men had killed Him. But that wasn't all. The man that this Man, whom he called Jesus, had risen from His grave, and was living that very moment that He could see that meeting, and men and women worshipped and obeyed Him.

Jimmy listened intently. At last the minister had finished and some other men were passing out baskets filled with good things to eat. Also each boy and girl from the Valley received a new toy and a box of candy. It was all so wonderful, and yet Jimmy kept thinking of the story. While mother was talking to the Mission lady, he slipped up to the man who had told it so carefully. "Say, Mister!" he exclaimed, "did you say that Baby died for people?" The man looked down with kindly eyes at the upturned face. "Yes, my boy."

"Then He died for me?"

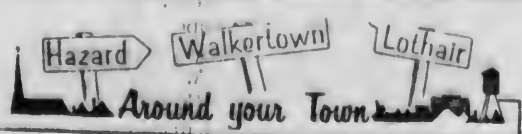
"Yes Sonny."

"And I should tell others who don't know it shouldn't I? 'cause my Mission lady said that is why she told the story to me."

The man nodded and patted the boy's head. Then mother called, and soon Jimmy was nestling up against her in the city truck as it took its load back to the Valley.

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Phone Your Socials To 6-5114, 6-4573 Or 6-2095

Mr. Herbert Turlich, who has been confined to the Mount Mary Hospital, has been released and is now convalescing at his home on Poplar Street.

Miss Diane Thompson and Mr. Bill Harwell, students at Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, Michigan, were the weekend guests of Mr. Harwell's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Peters, Maple Street.

Sgt. George Madden, Mrs. Madden, and their daughter, Crystal, from Biloxi, Mississippi, have arrived to spend the holiday vacation with Mrs. Madden's mother, Mrs. Ethel Dalton, in Lothair.

Miss Millie Dee Stevens, a freshman at the University of Kentucky, in Lexington, has arrived to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stevens, Baker Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall, Oak Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooper, Skyline Drive, have for their holiday guests Miss Margaret Sheehey and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jones, from Louisville.

Miss Mickey Robinson, from Louisville, has arrived to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Maple Street.

Kenneth York, who is a student at Berea College, Berea, is spending the Christmas vacation at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ance York.

Mrs. Bill Weaver, and Mr. Weaver, of Louisville, Miss Pamela Kay Johnson, who is a student at Berea College, Berea, and Miss Vicki Lynn Johnson, a student at Eastern State College, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Johnson, for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moody left by plane from Cincinnati Tuesday for Topeka, Kansas, to spend the Christmas holidays with their son S/Sgt. and Mrs. John W. Moody. Enroute home they will spend a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Ed Slone, and Mr. Slone, and two sons, Herman R. Moody, and Mrs. Moody, and Curtis Moody, Mrs. Moody and families.

William H. and Winnie Mitchell, of Louisville, grandsons of Margaret Mitchell, W. H. Mitchell's son, from Anaheim, California, and Mrs. Frank Smith and daughter, of Little Rock, Arkansas, and grandson, George Henry Mitchell and wife, Helen, of Lexington, have been visiting Mrs. Margaret Mitchell, who is ill in the Mount Mary Hospital.

Mrs. John McIntyre, Arch Street, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Powell, Captain Powell and children, Pamela and Gary, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, returned home yesterday.

Mr. Barney Baker, Mr. Prentiss Baker and Mr. P. B. Huff were in Booneville, Miss., for the funeral of their brother-in-law which was held at the First Baptist Church there Tuesday, December 22.

Kay and John Fuson, of Waverly, Tennessee, will arrive Thursday to spend the Christmas Holiday with their father, Mr. Homer Fuson, who has returned from the Veteran's Hospital, in Lexington, and is with his mother, Mrs. Clyde Fuson, Baker Avenue.

Miss Connie Elam, a student at Midway College, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Rennie Elam, for the Christmas holidays.

Among the relatives here last week for the funeral of 12-year-old Howard George Hatmaker, Jr., were the following: Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hatmaker and daughters, Beverly Kay, Mrs. Kelly S. Parker, and Mrs. Paul D. Case, all of Pikeville; Mrs. J. K. Hatmaker, Sr. and Miss Margaret Hatmaker, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; Mrs. Howard C. Allen, Harrisville, W. Va.; Mr. J. K. Hatmaker, Jr. and Mr. Ken. Deskins, Pikeville; Mr. and Mrs. Carter F. Combs and children, Candi and David, Bay City, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Ne. well E. Bolton and children, Fredy, Patty and Lisa, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Out-of-town friends here for the funeral included Mr. J. R. Fultz, Miss Lena T. Porter and Mr. Joseph A. Lyons, all of Pikeville.

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By Louise B. Hatmaker  
Did you ever have a Christmas so special that you treasure every moment and just had to share it with someone. Perhaps a good friend? Of course you have, and so have we. But this year is George's "special Christmas" and we know he wants to share it with you, his special friends.

During our five years on this newspaper, we used this column occasionally to try to bring you better understanding of the handicapped and their problems. The stories we told were about George, our mentally retarded child, but just as applicable to any similarly handicapped person. We're grateful now to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nolan and all the Herald staff for another opportunity to let George help you understand and appreciate the retarded.

Just a week ago from the date of this Christmas 1964 issue of the Herald, we buried George in the good earth of our little family cemetery started nearly 100 years ago with the interment of George's great-great grandfather. It's a beautiful plot with a large tree of holly standing guard near the entrance. At the foot of George's grave is a tree of dogwood with loving branches outstretched to welcome all who come. It will bloom again next spring in even greater profusion.

Not twenty feet away at the fence line is a stable. A pony stuck his head through the fence and watched with knowing eyes the little white casket topped with two simple bouquets of green and red. We were glad the pony came to see. These are some of the lovely moments we share with you for George.

No less precious were those minutes early Tuesday morning when George became "well" for the first time in his 12 years and four months. At least that's the way, those who were close to him, feel quietly, easily he slipped away with a pain.

So it was easy to ask the choir to sing carols for George's funeral. Christmas is the sweet time of the year. We would not change it. That's the time when

hope shines forth anew from the Star of Bethlehem. If you can ever feel sure of a better and newer life after death, it's surely during Christmas. This won't make us miss him any less, but the comfort it brings wouldn't be here at any other season. We hope you can feel this way too, not just for our George, but for your own.

So if the tears at George's funeral were not so many as you thought, Christmas is the reason. We had twelve years of tears for him and we'll have many more, but we couldn't spoil his Christmas.

During the past eleven months, we've spent much of the time in George's room. He talked with his eyes, not his lips. It was evident to those who came to know him best. Often he smiled as we spoke nonsense to him about Jack and Jill on the wall over his bed, or even Pinocchio. We knew he understood. So don't underestimate that handicapped person you know. He understands you, we know, the problem is yours, to understand him.

At the church, Reverend Harding called George a "Silent Hero". It's a fitting title we think, for we're assured that George's second purpose on this earth was to help you learn to know retarded children. His first purpose, we think, was simply to enrich the lives of his mission accomplished, it's easier to understand that he was needed elsewhere and just in time for Christmas. With the world as it is today, all of God's angels won't be enough to make everyone hear "Joy To The World" today and tomorrow.

It wouldn't be right for us to tell you all these things for George and not mention the thoughtfulness and kindness of his many friends to us, his family, these few days. For every thought and deed, we're appreciative.

Now we're striving to "Keep Christmas" as Peter Marshall wrote in his little book. We're putting up the prettiest decorations we can bring from their shelves of hiding and trying to make it truly our family's most memorable Christmas. Because it is, not just for George, but for Cindy, who's six now and a big girl in first grade, and for all of us.

It's a joyful season, time of hope for all, so don't be sad for George. It's not really the last Christmas for a little 12-year-old boy, it's his first. Merry Christmas, everyone!

### Birthday Party For Donna Moore

Donna Moore celebrated her birthday Saturday, December 19, with a party given her by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moore, Jr.

Those present for the party were: Gary Stollings, Greg Horn, Bobby Cox, Rookie Mada, Eric Combs, Jim Holliday, Monica Spare, Lee and Bess Turk, Vivian and Paula Deaton, Janie Holliday, Helen Williams, Jackie Moore, Kermit Caudill, Jr., Denesee, Dana, Kim and Stephanie Moore.



## Merry Christmas

As you gather 'round the Christmas tree with family and friends to sing the glad songs, remember our wish: A hearty, happy Christmas to all!



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### Top Off Your Day With

#### Top-of-the-Range Pineapple Dessert



Comes the first nip of wind that speaks of Fall and we hurry indoors to return to the occupations of the colder months. For us gals, it's usually the kitchen that first feels the results of this move, as we search for recipes, both remembered and new in our collectors' files. This Pineapple Dessert is a perfect starting point for your cooking efforts. Here's a dessert you'll make in a skillet on top of your range, a dessert that could be invited as a perk-up breakfast dish or could bring a hearty family supper to its finale. The fruity base is made with a can of pineapple pie filling which is brightened with bits of maraschino cherries, spiced with the topping that's included in a package of refrigerated caramel nut rolls. The rolls from this package are arranged on top of this mixture, then the skillet is covered and the whole allowed to simmer. It's a fragrant dessert, one you'll especially enjoy during the cold weather months, but is equally good during spring and summer, when you don't want to turn on the oven.

**Top-of-the-Range Pineapple Dessert**  
1 can (2 1/4 cups) pineapple pie filling  
1/2 cup water  
1/4 cup maraschino cherries, cut in half  
1 can refrigerated caramel nut rolls  
Combine pie filling, water, cherries and crumbled topping from caramel nut roll package in a heavy 10-inch skillet. Bring to a boil. Separate and arrange caramel nut rolls on top of pie filling mixture; cover. Simmer 20 to 25 minutes until rolls are light and tender. Serves 8.

### CHAVIES NEWS

## Mr. Oliver To Undergo Surgery; John Spencer, Jr., Home On Leave

By Mrs. Hale Bowling

Mr. John Spencer, Jr., son of Mrs. Letha Spencer, is at home on a short furlough from Fort Knox, Kentucky, where he has completed his boot training for the U. S. Army. He will leave here December 31 and will then go to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, for more extensive training. This is his first furlough since he joined the Army in September of this year.

Attendance at the Church of God Sunday was 54; the offering was \$8.65.

The grade school teachers here had a Christmas Program for all the school children last Friday. They also gave each child a treat of candy, oranges, apples and nuts.

Mr. George Oliver, who has been ill for some time, will leave home December 31 for the Saint Joseph's Hospital in Lexington where he will undergo surgery. We all have the best for Mr. Oliver and trust that all goes well with him.

There will be a Christmas Program at the Church of God Wednesday night. The play is entitled "The Shoemakers Dream". This is being given by the Chavies Young People. Everyone is invited.

Henry Paul (Buddy) Duff is recuperating after suffering a severe sprain when he lifted a

calf across a fence at his home on Grapevine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gross went to Hazard to do some shopping Tuesday.

We were very saddened when we heard of the death of Mrs. Dennis Wootton. We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. Wootton, our County School Superintendent.

### Personal Shower Given Bride-Elect Anna Devere Tate

Miss Anna Devere Tate, bride elect was honored at a Personal Shower given by Mrs. M. H. Alcorn, Jr. and Mrs. Tyler Cornett at the home of Mrs. Alcorn in Woodland Park on Tuesday, December 22.

The guest list included Mrs. A. R. Barber, Mrs. Catherine Combs, Mrs. Chester Stevens, Mrs. Peyton Mitchell, Mrs. Ruth and Johnson, Mrs. Paul Petrey, Mrs. J. C. Cornett, Mrs. Roger Cecil, Mrs. Maxwell Barrett, Mrs. Frank Medaris, Mrs. Alex McIntyre, Mrs. L. A. Hopper, Mrs. Eli Rogers, Mrs. Jim P. Gilbert, Mrs. Kenneth Tate, Misses Carole Barber, Millie Dee Stevens, Sarah Petrey, Sarah Gilbert, Alice Jane Hall, Lottie Haydon, Sydney Hancock, and Betsy Boggs.

### Kitchen Shower

#### Honors Anna Tate

Mrs. Alice McIntyre and Mrs. Charles Cornett were hostesses to a Kitchen Shower honoring Miss Anna Devere Tate, bride elect on Monday, December 21.

The guest list included Misses Jessie Browning, Betty Brown, Sandy Smith, Jill Smith, Julia Wood, Sydney Hancock, Sarah Petrey, Alice Jane Hall, Carole Barber, Judy Barrett, Janie Combs, Millie Dee Stevens, Elizabeth Buchanan, Sara Gilbert, Mrs. Lonnie Napier, Mrs. Tyler Cornett, Mrs. Roger Cecil, Mrs. Kenneth Tate and Mrs. Peyton Mitchell.

Miss Tate will be married January 1 to Mr. Gary Williamson in First Presbyterian Church.

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#### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to the friends and customers and the employees of the Nantz Service Station for their kindness and hospitality.

Mrs. Luther Nantz  
E 12-24-c



#### DECEMBER 27

The E. Tipton Carrolls' 8th Open House will be held Sunday, December 27, from 3 until 5 p.m.

#### JANUARY 3

All members of the Buckhorn Boat and Ski Club are urged to attend the annual meeting January 3, Sunday at 2 p.m. at the VFW Club, Walkertown, for the election of officers.

## Gardenettes Elect New Officers

The Mountain View Gardenettes, Junior Garden Club, held their annual meeting at Don's Restaurant, Main Street, Hazard, Kentucky, Saturday afternoon, December 19, at 1:45 p.m. The centerpiece for the meeting was a Christmas tree of red candles.

Officers elected for the year 1965 were Miss Nancy "Cissy" Hall, President; Miss Penny Mallins, Vice President; Miss Betty Cornett, Secretary; and Miss Becky Baker, Treasurer. Mrs. J. R. Ray, leader of the Club, gave the installation ceremony giving an iris flower to each officer.

After an exchange of Christ-

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## Church Members Exchange Gifts

By W. R. Williston

Attendance at the Christian Church and Sunday School Sunday was 57; the offering was \$11.24.

Our visitors Sunday were our son, Woodrow Williston, and Mrs. Jerry Wade Williston, all of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Haley Gibbons.

Visiting us for church and Sunday dinner were Jane and Judy Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Combs and son, Chet, and Bertha Hoskins.

We were certainly sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Dennis Wootton.

We had a real nice Christmas tree at the church Sunday and we exchanged gifts and had treats for the Junior and Primary Classes.

We had another good church service for Aunt Dellie Couch Sunday evening.

Visiting us Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Campbell, Opal Morgan and Shirley Ambrose.



## Holiday Greetings

At Christmastime... we welcome the opportunity to wish you, our good friends, the happiest of holiday seasons and to extend our heartfelt thanks for your valued patronage.

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## A KING IN A CATTLE BARN

By T. H. Harding

Nearly two thousand years ago there was born in Bethlehem of Judea a Babe whose life was destined to affect countless millions. Only a few knew that a King had been born. His coming was cloaked in the humility of an inn keeper's ox stall. No man could have thought of making a Christmas—a King born in a cattle shed. What a way to invade our world! This was all done so quietly. Once you have the picture you cannot forget it. That Babe was Jesus Christ.

The time was ripe for His prescience. Little birth. Roman roads had been built throughout the civilized world in preparation for the feet of His future messengers. The Greek language had become almost universal in reading for the proclamation of His Gospel of redeeming grace.

The people among whom He was born were poor, oppressed, and despised; in the heart of every man there was a cry for deliverance.

The world knew not of His birth. Work went on as usual. There was no revolution in the announcement of a new order. Kings and rulers continued to rule as before. No Royal Proclamation heralded His advent into the world. Only heaven appeared to be interested. In fact, God had to arrange a welcome himself with the heralding angels circling the skies. Rulers soon became aware of His birth and became fearful and jealous of Him. Anger filled their hearts. Murder was conceived and executed. Fearful of losing their own power they sought His death by every possible means. Every diabolical plan was set against Him. But God was watching and He lived in spite of it all.

He did not come to a palace of marble halls and carpeted floors. No luxurious bed chamber was prepared for His birth; neither doctors nor nurses were in attendance. Church bells failed to toll; hands were silent; no royal chorus burst forth in song. Only the music of heaven was heard. He came to a cattle shed and when He was born He was laid in a manger. His mother only had straw for her bed. There was no room in the inn. Little did Caesar know that this Babe, through His teachings, would one day destroy his mighty Empire and all other op-

portunities. Little did the local citizenry realize that His birth, His life, and His death would have a greater influence on humanity than the birth and death of any other man. For He was destined to be recognized by countless millions as the greatest of all the prophets, the mightiest of all the mighty, the Saviour of the world, the God incarnate, and our personal Lord and Master.

And now for nearly two thousand years His birth has been commemorated. More than nineteen hundred Christmas days have come and gone since that never-to-be forgotten night when "the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us". Let us keep foremost in our minds that the time came when he quit the cattle shed. Much has happened since that first Christmas. He became a man, He taught, preached, bled, and died to redeem sinful men. He arose from the dead and ascended to the heavenly Father. One day He will return. Our fast moving world needs more than a "Christmas faith". We need a cross-faith, a resurrection faith, a pentecostal faith, a mission faith. We must not leave Jesus and the message of the angels in the inn keeper's ox stall. The Christ of the cattle barn will have little meaning unless He becomes the Christ of this atomic age. So, let's get Him out of the manger, out to the dispossessed, the disinherited, the unsaved, the unloved, and the needy. Christianity is not an ox stall religion; it is a global faith! Christ never emphasized His birth. In fact, He did not even mention it himself. His interest was being "born into the hearts of men". Has He been born into your heart? If not, then confess Him as your Saviour NOW!

## GREETINGS TO ALL



William C. Dawahare

I wish to take this means to wish all of Perry County and Southeastern Kentuckians a happy and joyous holiday season.

And I wish to express publicly my thanks to God for His sparing my life. According to all medical people, I should be dead but evidently the Lord wanted me to live a while longer so that I could help my many friends and family.

William C. Dawahare

Mayor of Hazard

## ARH May Receive Federal Aid

(Continued From Page 1)

A bright factor in their future is the prospect of considerable federal financial support under the Appalachian Reconversion Act which Congress is expected to pass early next year. This legislation, strongly supported by the President, would permit federal subsidies to hospitals to demonstrate the possibilities of good medical care in the region.

In the meantime, however, the short-term mortgage problems of the 10 Appalachian Regional Hospitals must be solved.

There has been speculation that the Area Redevelopment Administration might again come to the help of the hospitals. It was a \$3.9-million grant and a \$4.1-million loan from A.R.A. that made it possible for the hospitals to be acquired from the United Mine Workers Welfare and Retirement Fund by a nonprofit corporation set up in 1963 by the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.

But the possibility of new funds from A.R.A. was ruled out yesterday. That agency, the Administration said, is prohibited by law from advancing operating funds to any enterprise. It can only make grants or lend money for the construction or purchase of facilities.

With A.R.A. out of the picture, attention has turned to the Office of Economic Opportunity, which administers the "war on poverty." O.E.P. has very broad authority to spend money. Whether it is broad enough to cover a \$2-million grant to payoff the short-term mortgages on the Appalachian Regional Hospitals is still a matter of debate. The purpose of tomorrow's meeting here is to explore that question.

The Administration is not approaching this exploration in any atmosphere of crisis.

It wholly discounts the possibility, expressed in other quarters, that the hospitals must soon be freed to close if Government help is not quickly offered.

"For one thing," said an official directly concerned with the negotiations, "we think it highly unlikely that either the U.M.W. or the banks holding mortgages on the hospitals would foreclose rather than extend the notes."

"For another, we think the hospitals are in a good position to get help on the mortgage problem from some private foundation. Or maybe the Presbyterians could advance some money. Finally, it is quite conceivable that we can handle the problem through an O.E.P. grant. We just don't know what solution will be found but we're certain that one will be found. Those hospitals aren't going to close."

Another possibility, not mentioned by this official, is that A.R.A. could reenter the picture early next year if Congress, as expected, gives the agency more money and more flexibility in how it is spent.

These judgments conform to the views privately expressed by a Kentucky official who is well informed on the situation. "I think the hospital crisis is being overstated somewhat," he said. "I don't expect the hospitals to close."

The hospitals are located at Middlesboro, Harlan, Whitesburg, McDowell, Hazard, South Williamson, and Pikeville, Ky.; Beckley and Mann, W. Va., and Wise, Va.

They serve the general population and have contracts with the U.M.W. Welfare Fund to give care to union members. In addition, the Kentucky hospitals are subsidized by grants from the State Government.



## Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa:

My name is Robert Muncy. I am 5 years old and in Kinder garden. Mommy is helping me with spelling.

Please bring me anything you want to and don't forget my little brother, Russell Allen, who will be 4 soon. We will leave you something under the tree. We love you, Santa.

Your friend,  
Robert Muncy  
609 Broadway

days after Christmas.

Please bring me some cars and trucks and don't forget my big brother, Bobby, who is in Kindergarten. I can't write so mommy is writing this for me. I will leave you something under the tree.

Your friend,  
Russell Allen Muncy

Dear Santa:

My name is Russell Allen Muncy. I will be 4 years old 4

Dear Santa:

Please bring me a service station, hop-a-bear and tool set. I love you.

Bobby R. Stacy  
315 Laurel Street  
Hazard, Kentucky

## Whitesburg's Film Classic Series Will Get Underway January 9

Whitesburg's Film Classics Series will get underway January 9 with the showing of an Italian movie, "The Bicycle Thief," and a W. C. Fields comedy, "The Pharmacist."

The showing will mark the beginning of a series of classic movies, to be shown once a month under the sponsorship of the Whitesburg organization.

The series is made possible by the contributions of citizens in the area who want to see the best of the older movies.

Funds have been raised to finance the first two of a planned six-film series, but money is still being collected to continue a new job.

## Christmas Rites Held for 'George'

A Christmas funeral was held here Thursday, December 17, at First Baptist Church for Howard George Hatmaker, Jr., 12, who died at home December 15, at 4:15 a.m. of pneumonia. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard G. Hatmaker, Sr., of Hazard.

Surviving besides the parents are a sister, Cindy Lou, age 5, the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bolton of Hazard, and paternal grandmother, Mrs. Ethel C. Hatmaker, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Born August 17, 1952, George was a mentally retarded child and spent most of his life restricted to home after age four, but was able to attend briefly the School for Retarded Children started here in 1959 by Beta Sigma Phi sorority. The school was a direct result of George's handicap because his mother's membership in Beta Sigma Phi led Alpha Xi chapter to undertake a project for helping retarded children. The school closed last year for lack of funds to solve the problem of transporting the handicapped youngsters into town from communities in the county.

Although he never learned to talk, George was able to walk and play in his own limited way most of the time. In a falling condition since January of this year, he had been bedfast since midsummer. He lived little more than a week after taking pneumonia. His retardation was caused by seizures due to brain pressure from unknown causes, one of thousands for whom medical research is being done today to determine why retardation occurs and how it can be prevented or lessened.

George's mother, wrote of him frequently in her column, Pothour, during her five years on The Hazard Herald staff, in an effort to create a greater public awareness of the tremendous need for improved facilities and help for children.

By request of the parents, Christmas was included rather than excluded from George's funeral arrangements. Music consisted of carols sung by the church choir. Many of the floral tributes were made with holly and other Yuletide greens.

George's body was brought from Engle Chapel to lie in state for three hours at church before the 2 p.m. service. During the interim, a program of organ music was presented by

Mrs. Paul D. Tayloe, Mrs. Joe Duncan, and the church organist, Mrs. Ben Fitzpatrick.

The sermon was delivered by the Rev. T. H. Harding, pastor of First Baptist. Scriptures and prayer were given by the Rev. Howard G. Hatmaker, Sr., of Hazard.

Active pallbearers were Dee Ratliff, Billy Ray Wilfong, Erman Wirtz and C. Vernon Cooper. Honorary pallbearers included Claude Isaacs, Foster Williamson, Bonnell Whitaker, Claude Branson, Bert Weddington, James Stidham, Evan Campbell, Dan Feltner, P. B. Huff and Dr. F. F. Shelton.

Burial was in the "Aunt Cynthia Combs" family cemetery one half mile north of Hazard. Engle Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## Wm. Powell Pratt Dies At Hospital

William Powell Pratt, 87, died Monday at the Whitesburg Appalachian Hospital. He was a resident of Corneetsville and a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Jim of Jeff and Charlie of Corneetsville; three daughters, Mrs. Ada Cornett of Sleep, Mrs. Mae Boling of Corneetsville and Mrs. Marie Caudill of Corneetsville. Twenty-four grandchildren and 33 great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held this morning at 10 a.m. at the Big Leatherwood Regular Baptist Church with Verlan Fields, Beckham Fields and Manis Isom officiating.

Burial was in the John Spencer Cemetery on Little Leatherwood with the Brashear Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

## Airman C.L. Gaudill Graduates From Training Course

Airman Third Class Charles L. Gaudill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caudill of Smithsboro, Ky., has graduated from the training course for U. S. Air Force fuel specialists at Amarillo AFB, Texas.

Airman Caudill, a graduate of Carr Creek (Ky.) High School, is being reassigned to Laughlin AFB, Tex., for duty.



## SPORTS CORNER

By Arlis Fields

The big O.V.C. tournament heads into its final round in Louisville's Convention Center tonight with an all-Kentucky flavor but the wrong ingredients are being featured.

Murray's Racers and the surprising Hilltoppers of Western clash at 8 p.m. in a game that was supposed to see Eastern and Morehead battle.

Murray handed Morehead its first loss of the season 89-82 in the opening round on Monday and Western knocked off Eastern 82-73 in last night's action.

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The OVC is fast becoming a sophomore's world with no less than six second year performers making good. Western has the biggest prize in 6'3" forward Clem Haskins. The former Taylor County all-stater had 29 points and 13 rebounds in last night's victory. 6'7" Pearl Hicks, of Clay County mans the other forward for Johnny Oldham and 6'3" Dwight Smith of Princeton completes the trio that will bring good basketball fortunes to Western for the next three years.

Morehead is in on the sophomore act with 6'2" Howard Smith and 6'3" Dave Turner of McDowell.

Murray has a dandy second year man in Herb McPherson. Herb had 23 in Murray's win over Tennessee Tech last night.

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The Wheelwright Invitational Tournament gets underway tonight in the Floyd County community with tourney favorite Martin (15-1) meeting Betsy Lane at 7 p.m. with 14th region power Jenkins and Mullins getting together at 8:30 p.m. Second round action continues tomorrow night with the semi-finals scheduled for Friday and the finals set for Saturday.

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Kentucky's Wildcats almost did it against the big men last night but foul trouble caught up with the UKats. Rupp's Raiders led the tall Bilikens of St. Louis by six 39-33 at the half but Long John Adams fouled for UK with 12:38 remaining in the second half and the cats seemed to fall apart after that. Sophomore Pat Riley topped Cat scoring with 23, Tommy Kron was next with 21. Louie Dampier was limited to one field goal. James Cole led St. Louis with 19.

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Hazard's Bulldogs will be leaving town Friday night for their engagement in the Trinity tournament. The Canines take on E-town Catholic at 9 p.m. Saturday night.

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Sunday will be a big day for Pro-Football fans with the NFL championship coming off between Baltimore and Cleveland at Cleveland's Municipal Stadium. 82,000 fans are expected for the big one.

Ex-Kentuckians in the battle include Cleveland flanker Tom Hutchinson, Ernie Green, running back for the Browns from Louisville, Bob Gain, former All-America tackle from UK and Cleveland head coach and former UK pilot Blanton Collier.

Baltimore has a somewhat Kentucky flavor with Quarterback Johnny Unitas of Louisville, Lenny Lyles, defensive back from Derby City and head coach Don Shula former UK assistant, place kicker Lou Micheals, from UK. Also wears a Colt uniform.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS to all of you from all of us at the Herald.

## "Somebody forgot... every litter bit hurts"



Susan Spottis says:

KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL





# "Tin Can Valley" A Story For Christmas Reading . . . .

(Continued from Editorial Page)

Tin Can Valley was happier that Christmas Eve than it had ever been before. The City Mission had made it possible for each little hut to have a bit of Christmas cheer, but Jimmy was happiest of all. There was a new-found peace and joy in his heart that only Christ could give. His heart was filled to overflowing, and he repeated the story over and over to his care worn mother until she, too, caught a glimpse of the joy offered by the Saviour.

Christmas morning was ushered in by a blustering wind, bearing upon its wings bits of stinging sleet and snow which, as the day lengthened, turned into a blinding blizzard. Jimmy was up early. Drawing on his thin coat and worn cap, he kissed his mother and darted out into the snow. At length he returned cold and shivering, but smiling and happy.

"My boy, where have you been?" his mother asked, drawing him toward the little stove that was struggling bravely to radiate a little heat in the poorly fashioned shack.

"Telling all the folks in the Valley about Jesus," he replied.

The Christmas dinner was greatly enjoyed by mother and son. The big Mission hamper had been so thoughtfully filled that there was food

to last for some time. After the meal Jimmie was very quiet. Suddenly he arose. "Mother, do you suppose those people up in the nice and pretty homes know of Jesus?"

Of course, James.

"But how can they? They never told us. Maybe they didn't know. I'll tell them." Before his mother could stop him, he had pulled on his cap and rushed out into the blizzard.

Fighting bravely against the fierce wind and stinging snow, the lad made his way up the hill and across the streets to the big houses on the hill's crest. A wondering lady gazed curiously at the ragged waif who had rung her doorbell.

"Missus," he ventured, removing his cap, "do you know Jesus?" Too astonished to answer, the woman had only stared at the boy.

"What is it, wife?" A man appeared behind the woman.

"Did you ever hear about Jesus and why we have Christmas?" the lad repeated.

"Of course, Sonny better come in and get warm," the man invited, pushing the door open.

Jimmie looked inside. He could see the glowing fireplace and feel the inviting warmth, but he shook his head.

"No, sir. If you know, then I must tell

others."

On and on he sped from house to house, always asking the same question and invariably receiving an affirmative reply. At last he came to a house much larger than the others, and much more beautiful. A man with an annoyed countenance opened the door. Jimmy asked his question.

"Have you ever heard of Jesus?"

"Yes," was the short reply, and the man was about to close the door when the persistent child leaned forward and asked the question that had been troubling his heart ever since he had been in the hill: "THEN WHY DIDN'T YOU EVER TELL US DOWN IN TIN CAN VALLEY?"

"Whyer," the man stammered, then noting the cold form before him his countenance softened. Throwing his arm about Jimmy he said: "Come in Son, and we'll talk it over while you get warm."

"Oh, no sir I HAVE TO TELL OTHERS. Jesus told all who knew about Him to tell others. I must obey Him. Thank you, Mister," and he tore himself free and darted again out into the snow.

Recovering from his astonishment the man ran down the steps, but the deepening twilight

and blinding snow hid the boy from his sight. He was unable to determine which way the lad had taken. "He can't go far," he muttered, "he is almost frozen to death now." Plunging into the blizzard he pressed forward. Finding no trace of the lad, he at length ventured to a door and rang the bell. "Has a little boy been here recently?" he asked.

"About half an hour ago," the lady who answered the door explained, "and I have been so worried ever since he left. He will surely freeze."

Murmuring a hasty "Thank you" the man retraced his steps and rushed on. Finally he saw a small figure just ahead. He ran forward. It was the little missionary. "My boy," he said, grasping his shoulder.

"DON'T STOP ME, Mister," he answered, "I must go on and tell others." He swayed, and would have fallen, but the man's strong arms were about him. The cold was too much for the thirty-year-old man. Rushing him into the nearest house the man summoned a doctor while others rendered first aid. But it was too late. Jimmy's work was done.

The result? The wealthy homes were stirred. Hearts previously cold and indifferent were melted. The inhabitants of Tin Can Valley were provided with more habitable dwelling.

were given work, and helped to get a foothold in life. The Hollow was cleaned up and beautified. A Mission church was built at the top of the slope. Over the pupil were written these words: "IF YOU KNOW JESUS, WHY DON'T YOU TELL OTHERS?"—placed there by the man who built the church and encouraged and directed the work done in the Hollow—the man who found Jimmy.

Are we as thoughtful as these people who lived comfortably while Tin Can Valley suffered? How often we fail at the Christmas season to spread the real thought of Christmas, the thought which God would like to reveal to us and to have us pass on to others. Instead of the mere exchange of gifts and greetings, of benevolent deed done, and charity not performed it is to add the message of the Gospel. Let us not be satisfied with our human manufactured mode of celebration, but let us magnify that great Gift that God gave us that first Christmas Day almost two thousand years ago. After all, many have not yet heard of Jesus who do not know that Christ came. In our own country there are those who celebrate Christmas with little thought of Christ. May God help us all to witness for Christ constantly Christian Life.

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## Progress Made In Conservation Provides Opportunities to Sportsmen

Despite the inroads made on the habitat of some kinds of wildlife by such necessary space-consuming activities as highway construction, urban expansion, and industrial development, the progress made by Kentucky's 121 soil conservation districts in providing hunting opportunities for the State's sportsmen is encouraging.

This observation was made in a statement released today by Homer A. Taff, State Conservationist for the U. S. Soil Conservation Service headquartered at Lexington.

The conservation official said that because of the districts' support of the concept of wildlife as an agricultural crop farmers are more readily including measures for the benefit of wildlife in their conservation plans.

Recognizing that wildlife populations may fluctuate from year to year because of conditions over which man has no control, said Taff, "our biologists are confident that the farmer's acceptance of practices with benefit to wildlife can result in a more abundant game population, and thus greater hunting opportunities, this year and in the years ahead.

These increases will come from the continual strengthening and broadening of the base upon which abundant wildlife populations are built as farmers give more attention to wildlife in their farming operations.

According to Taff, the most common measures are applying are food and cover plantings

that support doves, quail, rabbit, deer, and ruffed grouse. Trees, shrubs, grasses, and legumes that are known to have value to wildlife are being planted where they will be of most benefit.

"Farmers" said Taff, "are gradually realizing that wildlife crop has economic value and that by producing and marketing it just as they do their other crops they are strengthening the rural economy throughout the State. And hunters are accepting this new approach as they come to appreciate its advantages to all concerned."



This is the victory that hath overcome the world, even our faith.—(1 John 5:4).

Your faith should increase and become stronger as you grow in understanding. The more you know of God, the more you follow and practice the truth. And when your faith is solidly based it becomes transcendent.

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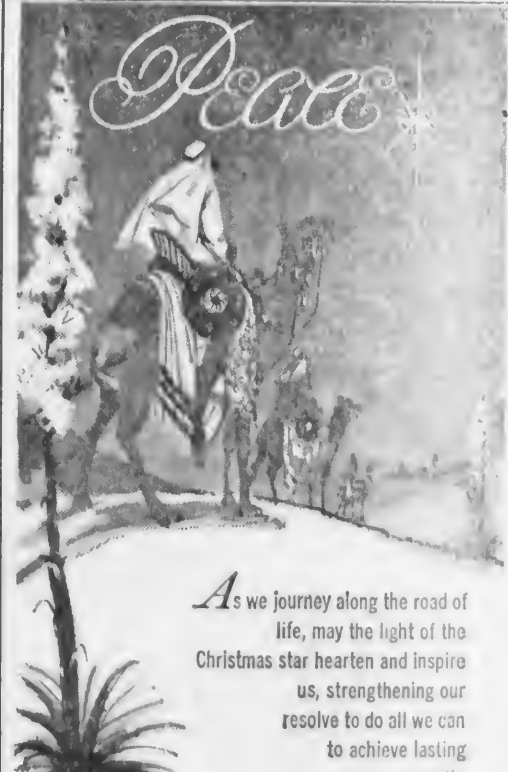
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## Joy and Peace

May your Christmas be blessed with the joy and peace of that Day, when the angels sang the glory of God whose Son lay sleeping in a manger.

### Church of the Nazarene

Evarts and Mayking, Ky.  
Rev. and Mrs. John T. Stewart, Pastors

Text Luke 17-18

Theme:

The Wonder of Christmas:

By M. T. Canada

To wonder, is to be affected with surprise, to marvel. We cease to wonder at what we understand. We do not understand why God should send His Son into this world to save men. That is the greatest wonder.

(Why?) We celebrate this day as the day upon which Christ was born, however the Holy Spirit has seen fit not to reveal in the scriptures the month, nor the day of the month.

Luke 2:11 reads: For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord.

This truth can be a personal reality to every man. No genius could have invented the Christmas story; there is a wonder about it that is Divine. 1 Pet. 1:12 Unto whom it was revealed that not unto themselves, but unto us they did minister the things, which are now reported unto you by them that have preached the gospel unto you

with the Holy Ghost sent down from heaven; which things the angels desire to look into.

God's ways are not our ways and His thoughts are not our thoughts. How evident this becomes as we read the Christmas story. We are confronted with a new wonder at every turn.

Why should God concern Himself with a rebellious world? A world inhabited with men whom God repented that He had made. A world engrossed in sin; Why should God be concerned? David wondered, and ask; What is man that Thou art mindful of him? and the son of man that Thou visitest him?

All of God's offers of grace and mercy had been met with stern refusal. The Priests, Prophets, and God's warnings were ignored and rejected.

Were there any hope that a new approach would have any chance of success? Why should God go farther in the interest of man? It is a wonder. Why should God speak again to such as we are? God knew the hearts of men, and His word contains the accurate picture of mankind, rebellious, wandering, stiff-necked, and haughty. In truth, the great wonder of Christmas is that God should send His Son into this world.

The second wonder is the method by which God's Son came to the world. We would imagine that God's Son would proceed to this world in regal splendor, and much publicity as the sons of kings and queens; but this was not God's way. Christ was born an infant babe, every baby born is a wonder; but no baby was ever such wonder as this Immanuel, God with us.

The prophet declared that His name shall be called wonderful. He was both God and man. God in human flesh. John 1:14: And the word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, . . . Here in an infant babe in the presence of God. John 1:14b: (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father) full of grace and truth.

This is God humbled, unglorified, and yet did ever such glory shine in the face of an infant child? He was born in circumstances of extreme poverty. The cradle that was too poor for the sons of men, was fit for the Son of God to be born.

You and I were born in better circumstances than the Christ child; why was he born in such poverty? Being born in poverty was not all, but behind this we see a lack of a warm welcome. Luke 2:7b: because there was no room for them in the inn.

We wonder why the comforts of humanity were not shared with the virgin Mary to give birth to the Son of God, the Savior of the world?

The manger was a part of God's plan, but that does not excuse the coldness of mankind toward the only begotten Son of God.

Have we given Him room in our hearts, our lives, and in our homes? If we haven't it is a wonder why we celebrate His birth, and at the same time refuse Him admittance into our hearts. If our hearts are filled with wonder at the coming of Christ to such a world as ours, coming as a baby, coming to such humble circumstances; we are then filled with great wonder when we consider what He has done to the humble manger. This speaks to us of God's ability to take that which is humble and despised and bless it by His presence and make it the glory of many.

When we make our heart a humble manger Christ is pleased to come and dwell, and where Christ dwells the radiant glories of heaven shine forth. The manger, The cross, The empty tomb, these speak to us of the salvation of God through His Son Jesus Christ.

There was a humble borrow, ed manger, a despised borrow, ed cross, and a lonely borrowed tomb, but all three have been glorified by the presence of the living Christ who was born in the city of David, and died out side the city Jerusalem.

When we consider these realities we realize that these wonders can be real in our

hearts.

No one can really enjoy Christmas until Christ is born in the heart. When Christ is born in the heart the angels sing their song again; for Jesus

says, according to Luke 15:7: I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance.

## Revenue Bond Issue To Be Requested

### To Add Camp Sites At State Parks

A \$2.5 million revenue bond issue will shortly be requested to finance the construction and development of additional overnight accommodation and recreation facilities at State Parks, Governor Edward T. Breathitt has announced.

State Parks Commissioner Robert Bell will request the State Property and Building Commission at its next meeting (probably after the first of the year) to authorize the sale of the bonds.

"Revenue received from the rental of these new facilities would retire the bonds at no cost to the public," Breathitt said.

The Governor cited the following areas in which the proceeds would be used:

1. Room additions to existing lodges to take care of present and projected demands for overnight accommodations.

2. Expansion of existing tent and trailer camping areas, plus development of new areas at other parks.

3. Additional facilities for boating and boat users at four state parks.

Eventually affected by the bond issue will be six park lodges, totaling 88 new lodge rooms. The funds would make possible eight additional room units at the lodge at General Butler State Park, near Carrollton; 12 at Jenny Wiley State Park, near Prestonsburg; 16 at Kentucky Dam Village lodge near Gilbertsville; 24 at the Lake Cumberland State Park lodge near Jamestown; 12 at Natural Bridge State Park near Slade, and 16 at the Rough River State Park lodge, between Leitchfield and Hardinsburg.

In making his plea for public support of the bond issue, Governor Breathitt pointed out that the additional new units would improve the efficiency and financial base of each of the park operations.

New tent and trailer camping areas would add 650 sites at ten parks: —a 50-site development at Blue Licks State Park, at Mt. Olivet; —a 100-site development at Jenny Wiley State Park; —

a 50-site development at Buckhorn State Park, between Booneville and Hazard, and — 50 new sites at Rough River State Park.

Present tent and trailer camping areas would be increased by 50 sites at Carter Caves State Park, near Olive Hill; 100 at General Butler; 50 at Pennyville State Park near Dawson Springs; 100 at Levi Jackson State Park near London; 50 at Natural Bridge; and 50 at Lake Cumberland.

The Governor supported the need for the new sites by noting that "each camping family is issued a camping permit in the Kentucky State Park system. In calendar year 1963, the Department of Parks issued 38,584 camping permits—an approximate increase of 13,600 permits over the prior year."

"In 1964, this figure has grown to 61,481—almost double the number of permits issued in 1963." Reviewing the proposal, he termed it a "sound business approach" to meeting the increased recreation needs of Kentucky and out-of-state tourists.

### Smokey Says:



Monkey-shines with fire have no place in the forest!



## FRIENDLY Christmas Greetings

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## TO WISH YOU A JOYFUL CHRISTMAS

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Though doubters doubt and scoffers scoff,  
and peace on earth seems still far off;  
Though learned doctors think they know  
The gospel stories are not so;  
Though greedy men are greedy still  
And competition chokes good-will,  
While rich men sigh and poor men fret,  
Dear me! we can't spare Christmas yet!  
Time may do better — maybe not;  
Meanwhile let's keep the day we've got!  
On Bethlehem's birth and Bethlehem's star  
What'er our speculations are,  
Where human merges with divine,  
We're dull indeed if we can't see  
What Christmas feelings ought to be,  
and dull again if we can doubt  
It's worth our while to bring them out.  
"Glory to God: good-will to men!"  
Come! Feel it, show it, give it then!  
Come to us, Christmas, good old day,  
Soften us, Cheer us say your say  
To hearts which throb, too eager, keeps  
In bonds, while fellow-feeling sleeps  
Good Christmas, whom our children love,  
We love you too! Lift us above  
Our cares, our fears, our small desires!  
Open our hands and stir the fires  
Of helpful fellowship within us,  
And back to love and kindness win us!

—Edward Sandford Martin

## Lovingkindness

You won't find it in the French, German,  
Latin or Greek Bible.  
It is peculiarly an English treasure, and  
is found thirty times in the Old Testament,  
mostly in the Psalms.  
Love is a virtue so high, deep, broad and  
long, that we sing "Love Divine" and repeat  
adoringly "God is Love."  
And kindness is so near and dear, so  
human, so concerned with little as well as  
with big things. It is homely and cozy.  
Joined together, Lovingkindness, they  
make a beautiful word for a wonderful mys-

tery.  
It is a word to begin the day with. "To  
tell of Thy lovingkindness early in the morn-  
ing."  
It is a word to carry with you. "Thy  
lovingkindness is ever before mine eyes."  
It is a word of sharing. "I have not con-  
cealed Thy lovingkindness from the great  
congregation." Every preacher should be able  
to say that on Sunday night.  
It is a word of prayer. "Hear me accord-  
ing to Thy lovingkindness."  
It is a word of triumph. "He crowneth  
thee with lovingkindness."  
In a world where hatred, indifference,  
pride and disdain flourish, there is surely  
healing and peace in lovingkindness. "Thy  
lovingkindness is better than life itself!"  
Who reverently ponder history and ex-  
perience, "They shall understand the loving-  
kindness of the Lord."  
(copied)

## Slow Me Down

Slow me down, Lord!  
Ease the pounding of my heart by the  
quieting of my mind. Steady my hurried pace  
with a vision of the eternal reach of time. Give  
me, amidst the confusion of my day, the calm-  
ness of the everlasting hills. Break the tension  
of my nerves and muscles with the soothing of  
the singing streams that live in my memory.  
Help me to know the magical restorative power  
of sleep. Teach me the art of taking minute  
vacations . . . of slowing down to look at a flow-  
er, to chat with a friend, to pet a dog, to read a  
few lines from a good book.  
Remind me each day of the fable of the  
hare and the tortoise, that I may know that the  
race is not always to the swift; that there is  
more to life than increasing its speed. Let me  
look upward into the branches of the towering  
trees, and know that they grow tall because they  
grow slowly and well.  
Slow me down, Lord, and inspire me to  
send my roots deep into the soil of life's endur-  
ing values, that I may grow toward the stars of  
my greater destiny. Amen.  
(These words were supposed to have been spoken  
by an old Southern pastor in his prayer.)

## GLOMAWR

### Junior Classes Present Xmas. Play;

### Helton-Brown Vows Exchanged Friday

By Mrs. Sam Ferguson

Sunday morning at Com muni-  
ty Presbyterian Church, the  
Junior boys and girls presented  
a wonderful Christmas Play,  
"The Christmas Tree". Each one  
present at Sunday School re-  
ceived a bag of Christmas  
treats.

At our Sunday evening ser-  
vice, the Rev. Leonard Hood, of  
Wootton, did the preaching. Our  
pastor, Rev. Bill Brown, attend-  
ed the Christmas Program at

Vico Church.

It was good to see so many  
of the Young People back at  
Sunday School and Church that  
are away in college.

Jody Ritchie and his son, La-  
marr, rendered special music  
on the piano and organ at  
church Sunday night. It was en-  
joyed by everyone.

Mike Clark, of Lothair, play-  
ed Santa Claus to the children  
of Glomawr School last week.  
He came with a load of candy,  
nuts and fruits which he do-  
nated to the school. Mike, you  
did a wonderful thing.

Patty, the daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. Virgil Helton, became  
the bride of Mr. Eddie Brown,  
of Jackson, last Friday. They  
were married in Virginia and  
spent the weekend in Lexing-  
ton, returning home Sunday.  
Patty is employed at Mine Ser-  
vice in Lothair and Eddie works  
for the railroad company in  
Hazard. They now reside on  
Lytle Boulevard in Hazard. We  
wish for this wonderful couple  
many years of happiness and  
success.

Paul Gordon of Hazard spent  
Sunday with Lamarr Ritchie  
and went with them to church  
Sunday night.

Mrs. Ed Brashear and chil-  
dren, of Leatherwood, called on  
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Helton  
Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell  
and son, Johnnie Joe, of New-  
port, and Tom Campbell, visit-  
ed Granny Campbell, the Bill  
Harpers and Seph Scotts over  
the weekend.

Jess Combs visited his doctor  
at the clinic Monday.

Courtney Fletcher went back  
to a Lexington hospital Monday  
for a check up.

Mrs. Eva Lee Feltner has re-  
turned to her home from Ap-  
palachian Hospital.

Mrs. Lonnie Adkins returned  
home from the hospital Satur-  
day.

Bill Bishop has returned  
home from Appalachian Hospi-  
tal.

Well, it's time once again to  
wish everyone a very Merry  
Christmas and a Happy New  
Year.

## Christmas Message From Hazard Minister

E. TIPTON CARROLL  
Hazard Christian Church  
Hazard, Kentucky

We may follow the shepherds sentimentally  
as they go from the hills of Judea and kneel  
before the manger, and we may stare with  
awe at the wise men as they come from the  
mysterious East to lay their gifts before the  
Child. But, sooner or later when we have push-  
ed through that awe-inspiring group around  
the manger to look at the Child, we, with them,  
must also ask, What Child is this? And what  
does this Child mean? When the writers of  
the Gospels of Matthew and Luke came to  
set down the story of Jesus and the meaning  
of the Child, they put down things that would  
answer that question. And that is why the  
gospel of Christmas is in two very unlikely  
places in the Gospels of Matthew and Luke:  
first, in the genealogy of Jesus; second, in  
His name.

There is gospel in Matthew's account of the  
dry and unglamorous genealogy. For one thing  
with some exceptions, it is a pageant of ordi-  
nary people—Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz—who ever  
heard of them? But they are there, little peo-  
ple whom God in His providence used to bring  
something of greatness to this world. And in  
this genealogy there are some people who  
did not belong to the chosen, who were con-  
sidered outcasts. Such a one was Ruth, the  
Moabite. God in His providence laid hold of  
one obscure woman named Ruth and placed  
her in that pageant. Then there are those  
whose names are not mentioned in respect-  
able circles: Rahab, Bathsheba, "the wife of  
Uriah." But the people stand there to remind  
us that God can use even the tarnished to  
bring something of brightness to this world.  
There is gospel in this.

The listing of the generations from Abra-  
ham to Christ says that "this thing is not hap-  
penstance. This thing is not coincidence. There  
is Someone who is appropriating history for  
His purpose." We Christians have let the Com-  
munists and secularists take hold of history  
instead of affirming that it is God who has  
taken hold of history and always has and al-  
ways will—that history has a purpose and it  
belongs in the mind of God. And this too is  
gospel.

There is gospel in the name. To the  
writers of the gospels, the name was impor-  
tant for the name explained the person, who  
he was and what he was and what he meant.  
In the account of Jesus' birth three names  
are given him and say to us, "This is what that  
Child means." He is called "the Christ." Christ  
in the New Testament is not a proper name;  
it is a title; it is the same word as Messiah in

the Old Testament, the Anointed One by God  
and by his spirit to accomplish a special task:  
to redeem and restore men to God. "The  
Christ" is an ancient title, one that is hallowed  
and revered and full of meaning and impor-  
tance. And when the gospel writers attached  
that title to Jesus, they did not do it lightly.

He is called "Jesus." It was a common  
name in those days—the same word as Joshua  
in the Old Testament—but it meant something  
most important: "the Lord is salvation." And  
so when Joseph was directed to call the Child  
Jesus it was for a special reason: "for he will  
save his people from their sins."

He is called "Immanuel," again a title,  
not a proper name. The Hebrew word means  
"God with us." This is the greatest name that  
God could have called himself when came  
down to us in His Son: Immanuel—God with  
us. And one of the greatest things about the  
Christian gospel is that the God we proclaim  
Immanuel—Jesus—who is God with us. We  
can no longer look to God and say, "You  
don't know how it is"—not since that Child  
was born. Here also is gospel.

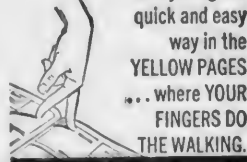
There is more gospel. The names also exalt  
the Child to a place no one else can occupy.  
The sentiment of Christmas tends to blur our  
faith into a kind of empty, meaningless, he-  
was-and-what-he-was-and-what-he-meant.  
Lord, Bern Kling among us. We accept him as  
Teacher but not as Lord. We grow sentimental  
over the Child in the manger, but to have that  
Child as Lord of our lives, our economic and  
social dealings with our fellow men—this is  
another matter. But this is one of the things  
Christmas says, and if we have not heard it  
we have not yet begun to hear what Christmas  
is all about.

The names also give us God Himself. The  
easterner believed that if you could get the  
name of a god you could capture the god,  
capture his power and influence, and he would  
no longer have influence over you. But as  
long as he did not tell you who he was or what  
he was or what his intentions were, he had  
you! This is why Jacob pleaded with his  
wrestling opponent: "Tell me your name!"

But this is not the way of God and the  
Christian Gospel. God gives his name: "You  
shall call his name Jesus, the Christ, Imman-  
uel." God gave himself to us when he named  
Himself Jesus, and now men know that the  
name of God is Jesus of Nazareth, who walked  
among us and who finally carried the gift of  
himself to the supreme point when he said,  
"This is my body which is broken for you."  
And at the end of the Book of Revelation,  
there are these beautiful words: "His servants  
... shall see his face, and his name shall be  
on their foreheads."

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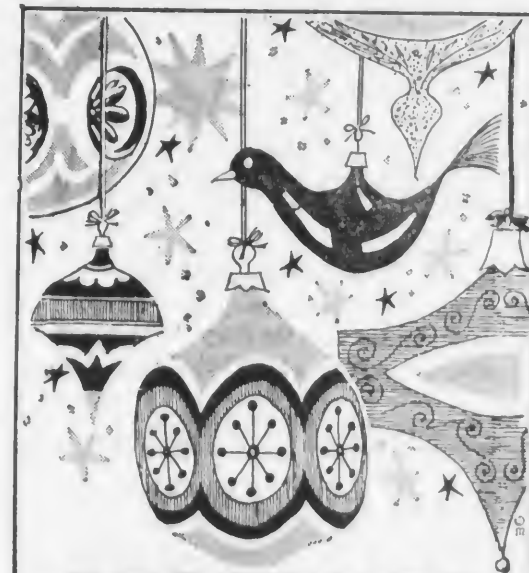
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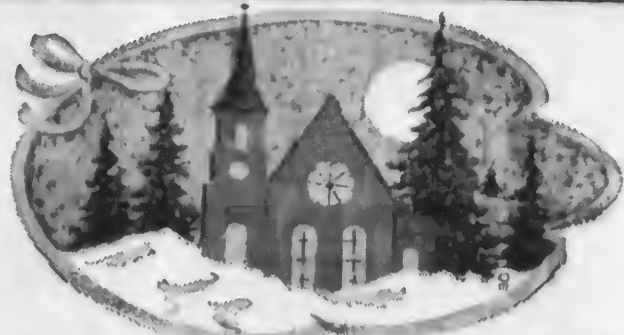
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# Christmas Message From Rev. Korogod

## Christmas Story

By Rev. Leopold S. Korogod

One December day in 1223, Saint Francis of Assisi was on his way to preach in the small town of Greccio, Italy. As he walked along he wondered how he could bring home to the people the real meaning of Christmas, so that the story of the Birth of Christ would live on in their hearts. Suddenly he was inspired with an idea. He would show them the scene as it was. He went to a friend of his in the village and said, "I want to celebrate the memory of the Child who was born in Bethlehem, and to see with my own eyes, as best I can, how he suffered want, and how he rested on the straw." The friend prepared everything as Francis had told him.

Then came the day of joy. Our Lord is born in a shelter reserved for animals: his cradle, a manger; his companions, dumb animals.

We find only in this manger scene unselfish love before us. God almighty laid down no conditions on the human race for the coming of His Son. He wanted the human race to accept His Son and for them to look beyond the drabness and plainness of His Birth to the all important idea of love.

This day, Christmas day is not just a special day to give presents and greetings to our loved ones and then next day to go on as if nothing happened. Christmas day, if it has any meaning at all for us, must be every day, a day of unselfish love, a day when all of us are available to help others, whether they recognize or appreciate our goodness and love or not.

In this simple, yet touching and beautiful way, Saint Francis reminded the world of a profound and consoling truth God cared for man. That is why Christmas is such a happy and joyful day, for this day more than any other shows us in a very concrete way that God so loved the world that He gave His own Son. And God's Son came among us, not in a display of power, glory and splendor. He came rather quietly, while most people slept, and most important of all, He came to us as a little baby, so that we might be attracted to Him and love Him from the beginning.

The our Blessed Lord came into the world in this way, it is surprising how few came to see Him. There were just a few simple folks - shepherds - on hand to greet the new-born Saviour. Saint John, in the gospel of the third Mass of this Christmas Day, remarks sadly, "He came among his own people, and they did not welcome Him." What a sad commentary Saint John gives us on this day! Here was a nation loved by God. For centuries the Jewish nation was being prepared for this day. Moses, David, Micah and the great prophet Isaiah, all spoke of the coming of God's Son, and yet when the Son of God came into this world, it seems like there was no interest in His coming.

We need only to look at our Christmas crib to see the reason for this coldness and indifference. There is no luxury here; there is no sign of splendor, or majesty at the birth of this king. There is simple poverty and plainness all around.

"Behold, a Virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us." —Matthew 1:23.

In Nashville, Tennessee in the home of an army chaplain, on the first Christmas eve after World War II, the telephone rang. His wife answered. She was thrilled to hear the voice of her husband who after many months overseas had just returned to the shores of America. We can imagine her joy when she learned that he would be home for Christmas. He would be able to get home sometime during the night. They decided to keep his home-coming a secret from the children that he might surprise them on Christmas morning.

The next morning, Christmas Day, when the children gathered around the tree to open their presents lying beneath the tree, suddenly the white sheet on which they had been placed stirred, and up from among the packages arose their father. It is easy to imagine the joy of that home when the little ones who had expected only presents found their father himself.

This is actually a parable of the true meaning of Christmas. The words of our text tell us that this baby that was born in Bethlehem during the census when Cyrenius was governor of Syria was Emmanuel but we have Him covered over with so many things that we have failed to recognize Him, or see Him.

The Israelites had been looking for him for centuries because God had told them in Genesis, through the prophets that a Messiah would come. He was also to be called Jesus showing what He would do in saving the people from their sins, but showing what He actually was, He would be called Emmanuel or God with us. But they had their own ideas as to how He would come and how He would act when He did come —and here this Man instead of being born in the house of the king or a prince where His rightful heritage would be honor and power was born to peasant parents in a little stable in Bethlehem. How could He claim to be the Messiah? And then as the years passed He acted so queer in selecting the people with whom He consorted, and He said such peculiar things about "turning the other cheek". No, this man could not be the Messiah. Poor souls — they had the Messiah covered over with a lot of their own ideas instead of listening to what God was trying to tell them.

But actually, are we doing much differently? It is true that at this Christmas Season we exchange our gifts, we have our beautifully decorated Christmas trees, we have an interest in the poor and needy that will not manifest itself so clearly until next Christmas; we have our street decorations, and our magnificent store windows; we have our music on the air from stores and church towers; we have our church programs and our social club programs —and it all goes.

And yet with all of it do we have the real knowledge and presence of "Emmanuel"? If it were the true spirit of "Emmanuel" would it all vanish so quickly? I am not even suggesting that all of the world is cold hearted and uninterested the rest of the year save during the Christmas Season, but I am asking if it is "The Christmas Spirit" or "Emmanuel" that ingrafts it into or hearts for these few weeks. Do we so cover Him with all of these frills and furbelows that we cannot see Him or recognize Him?

May the true spirit of Christmas help us to pull off all the colored paper, tinsel and Christmas bells, long enough to see the Baby in the manger at Bethlehem for what He is, "Emmanuel, God with us".

Leslie M. Rogers, Minister  
Bowler Memorial  
Methodist Church, Hazard

### Aliens Required To Register

Mr. Thomas M. Pederson, District Director of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, stated that aliens in the United States will be required to report their addresses to the Attorney General within the near future.

All aliens, with few exceptions, who are in the United States on January 1 each year must report their addresses by the end of that month. Only the following classes of aliens are excused from this requirement: (1) Accredited Diplomats; (2) Persons accredited to certain international organizations; and (3) Those admitted temporarily as agricultural laborers.

Forms with which to make the report can be obtained from any Post Office or Immigration and Naturalization Service Office during the month of January.



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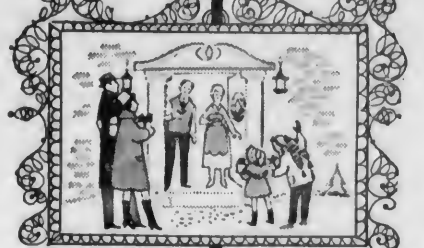
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### MERRY CHRISTMAS



When the Holiday Season rolls 'round, it gives us real satisfaction to be able to say "Merry Christmas" and "Many Thanks" to all our friends. Hope your Day is a happy one!

### Hazard Cleaning & Laundry

East Main Street Hazard



### Holiday Greetings

We're grateful to be spending Christmas among all our friends and neighbors... as a measure of our gratitude, may we extend our very best wishes to you for a happy, healthy and festive season.

### Maggard Funeral Home

East Main Street Hazard



## Area Deaths

### Margaret Centers, Of Airport Gardens Dies Of Stroke

Margaret Centers, 79, of Airport Gardens died last night at 7:15 p.m. at the Appalachian Hospital of a stroke.

She was a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church.

Mrs. Centers is survived by her husband, George; two sons, J. H. Gibbs of Flatwoods, Kentucky and Robert Centers of Cincinnati, Ohio; five daughters, Mrs. Drethel Begley, Mrs. Ethel Baker, Mrs. Georgia Chapman, Mrs. Opel Tackett, and Mrs. Katherine Floyd.

One brother and two sisters also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday (December 23rd) at 10 a.m. at the Little Samuel Memorial Baptist Church at Lohair with Charlie C. Barnett officiating. Burial was in the Riverside Cemetery with the Brashear Funeral Home in charge.

### Hazard Resident Dies At Hospital

Mr. Dan Fugate, 76, Blue Grass, died Sunday, December 20, at the Mount Mary Hospital, of a stroke. Born in Perry County, he was a member of the Regular Baptist Church and a lumberman.

He is survived by his wife, Bula Mae; two sons, John Libbard and Tommy Wayne, both of Hazard; one daughter, Lillian Rachel, of Blue Grass; one sister, Rachael Fugate, of Dayton; one half-sister, Laura Neace, of Hazard; one half-brother, Nim Fugate, of Jackson.

Funeral services were held Monday, at 1 p.m. at the Caney Regular Baptist Church with Reverend Daniel Mullins officiating.

Burial was in the Rivery Caney Cemetery with Engle Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

### Former Hazard Resident Dies

Final rites will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at the A. H. Boyer Funeral Home in Waverly for William S. Hunton, 45, Rt. 2, Piketon, who died at 5:30 a.m. Tuesday, October 13 in the Huntington (W. Va.) Veterans Hospital.

Rev. Donavan Humble, officiated at the services and interment followed in Mound Cemetery at Piketon under the direction of the Boyer Funeral Home.

A body and fender shop owner and a resident of the Idaho community. Mr. Hunton has been in failing health for the past three years and had been a patient in the VA Hospital since last July.

He served in the amphibious corps in the U. S. Navy during World War II and was a member of the Lathan Church of Christ in Christian Union.

Born August 10, 1919 at Hazard, Ky., he was the son of William Simpson and Ethel (Daniel) Hunton. His mother survives and resides at National City, California.

On September 1, 1940, Mr. Hunton married Juanita June Saylors who also survives at their home on Rt. 2, Piketon.

Other survivors include two daughters, Beverly and Bonita and one son, Ronald, all at home; a brother, Walter J. Hunton of Santa Clara, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Mary Hallford of National City, Calif., and one grandson.

He was preceded in death by his father and one brother.

### S. S. Manager Explains Death Benefit Payment

"A seldom considered benefit of Social Security is the lump-sum death benefit payment," noted John Graves, District Manager for Social Security in Hazard. "It is a one time payment made upon the death of an insured worker and is often overlooked because the majority of benefits under Social Security are monthly payments."

"Upon the death of any worker, at any age, Social Security can make a payment of from \$120 to \$255 which can be used to help in the burial expenses. The lump-sum is paid in addition to any monthly benefits that are due. It does not mean that a person is taking a single payment and giving up monthly payments now or later."

"As noted," Graves commented, "the worker must have contributed to Social Security. We cannot make this payment upon the death of his wife or widow or children unless they have their own individual Social Security account."

"The lump-sum death payment is made to the surviving widow or widower if they were living together at the time of death. If not, payment may be made to whoever is responsible for the burial expenses, either to them or to the funeral home in part payment of the expenses."

"As a reminder," Graves added, "check with the Social Security office at 135 Memorial Drive in Hazard upon the death of any worker with a Social Security card. Even if you believe no monthly payments may be made because there is no aged widow or young children surviving, the lump-sum payment may still be possible."

### Shepherds Told Of Birth Of Christ

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed. And all went to be taxed every one into his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; to be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country, shepherds abiding in the fields, keeping watch over their flocks by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace good will toward men.

And it came to pass as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger. And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.

Luke 2: 1-17



### JOY to the WORLD

At this most joyful of holiday seasons, we greet you with sincere good wishes and warm appreciation. Merry Christmas!

### Engle's Florist & Gift Shoppe

Main Street

Hazard

### Louanna Combs, 84 Is Called by Death After Long Illness

Louanna Combs, 84, died Sunday at 7 a.m. at the Mount Mary Hospital after a 5 month illness. Cause of death was a heart attack.

Mrs. Combs was a life long resident of Perry County and a resident of Vicco at the time of her death.

She is survived by two sons, Troy of Bulan and Roy of Vicco; four daughters, Mrs. Allie Brown of R. R. 1, Hazard, Mrs. Alice Jent of Vicco, Mrs. Rachael Jent of Haddix and Mrs. Beckie Collins of Hazard.

Funeral services were Monday at 1 p.m. at the home in Vicco with William Wagers officiating.

Burial was in the Combs Cemetery with the Maggard Funeral Home in charge.

### Cornelius Patrick Buried Sunday

Mr. Cornelius Patrick, 79, Hardburly, died Friday, December 18, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital, of cancer, after an extended illness. He was born in Knott County.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth; five sons, Bill and Isaac, of Hardburly, Elmer, of Bulan, Hugh, of Detroit, Michigan; four daughters, Mrs. Adam Combs, of Darfork, Mrs. Everett Williams and Mrs. Martha Napier, of Bulan, Mrs. Hattie Singleton, of Ritchie; two brothers and one sister.

Funeral services were held Sunday, December 20, at 10 a.m. at the home with Reverends Curt Oliver, Carey Adams and Stuart Pratt officiating.

Burial was in the Engle Cemetery on Ball Creek with the Engle Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

### THE MIGHTY MIDGET WANT ADS WORK

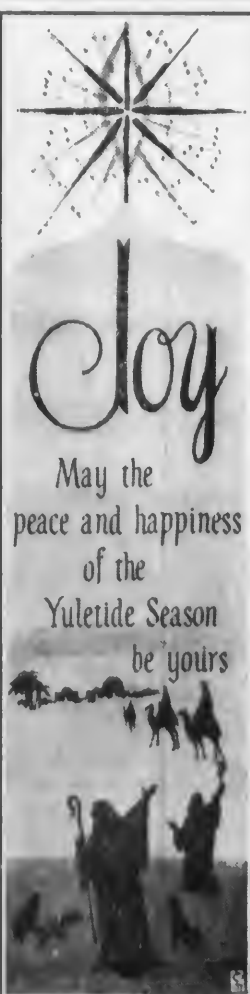


### Smokey Says:

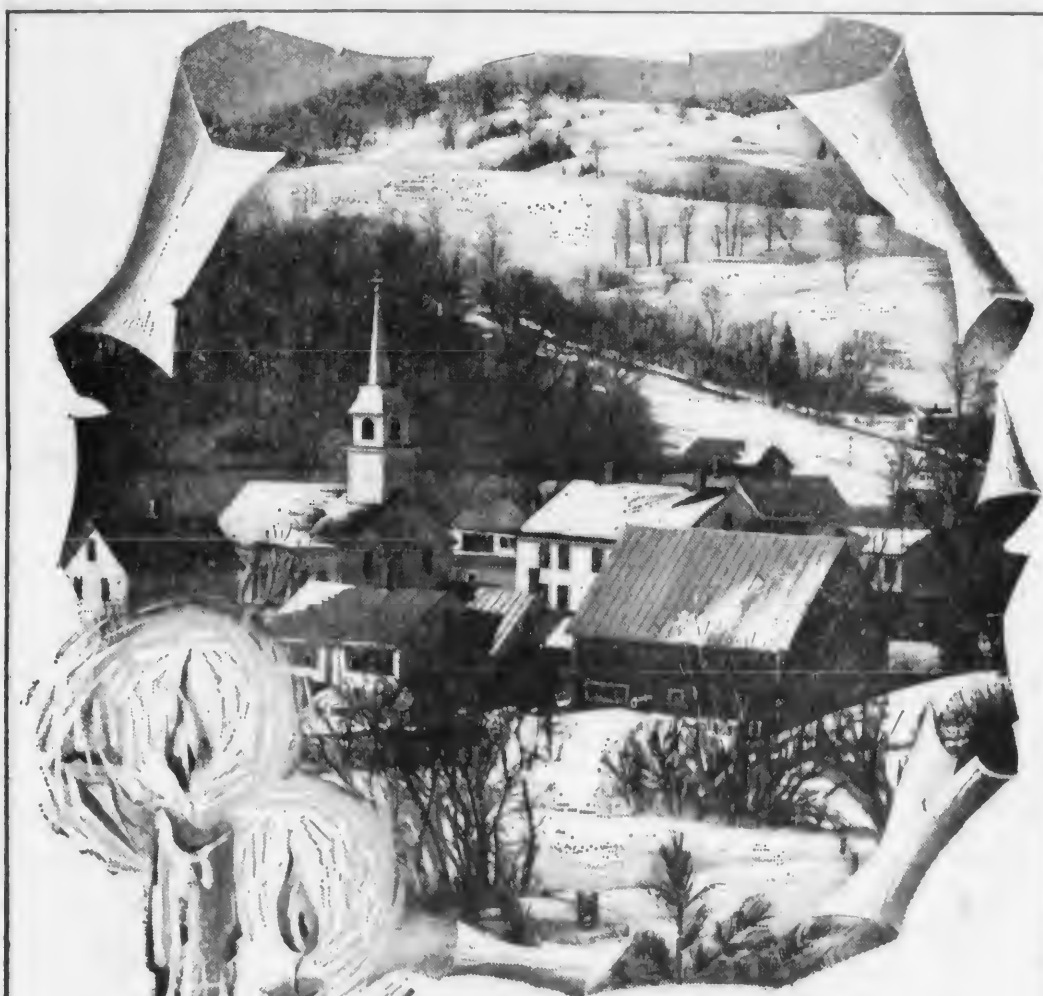


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### CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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### PEOPLES BANK

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We're taking a tip from Santa and extending our very warmest wishes for a merry Yuletide to our many good friends and patrons.

**Merry Christmas to All!**

**Faulkner's Garage, Inc.**  
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## merry, merry Christmas

Christmastime affords us the chance to express our heartfelt gratitude for the friendship and generosity you have shown us through the year. We extend best wishes for a happy holiday.

**Hazard Auto Supply**

East Main Hazard

# What Does Christmas Mean To You?

"We have seen His Star in the East and have come to worship Him."

What does CHRISTMAS mean to YOU? to ME? Few, if any of us realize, the real meaning of Christmas is it just an ordinary holiday, a "family day" — or is it a great and gracious and sacred celebration of the greatest Person and event in this world's history?

Let us go back to the first Christmas and see what it should and does mean.

1. Christmas means the coming of the Saviour. "And thou shalt call His name JESUS: for He shall save His people from all their iniquities." Unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour which is Christ the Lord. The word "JESUS" means "SAVIOR." Have you let Him save you from your sins? If not, He came and died in vain so far as you are concerned.

2. Christmas means deliverance from the condemnation of sin. "There is therefore now no condemnation to them who are in Christ Jesus." Freedom from a guilty conscience and the fear and penalty of sin through Jesus Christ, "to those who are in Christ Jesus." The oath which He swore to our father Abraham, that He would grant unto us that be being delivered out of the hand of our enemies might serve Him without fear, in HOLINESS and righteousness before Him, all the days of our lives.

3. Christmas is to be a time of peace and the good will of God toward men. "And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of heavenly hosts, praising God, and saying, 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace and good will toward men.' O what a proclamation of this great salvation

If men and women, boys and girls would only use this great salvation! If men and women, boys and girls would only use this great Christmas as a time to praise God, instead of the insane and irreverent celebration of Santa Claus, what would happen to our world? If there were half as much praise and glory to God as there is profanity and irreverent revelry, "Peace on earth" would come back to us. Most professed followers of Jesus Christ are afraid to praise God and His Son Jesus Christ, while others only profane His Holy Name.

Yes, this Christmas time should be a time of peace and reconciliation with God & each other. If men and nations would heed the purpose and meaning of "Peace on earth and good will to men," all wars would cease, from the family rows and church fusties to the nations and the ends of the earth; and all our men, women and boys could celebrate Christmas at home instead of in the far flung battlefields of the world.

But this peace must become personal before it can become domestic and international in its scope and influence. "There isre being justified by faith we have peace with God, through our Lord Jesus Christ." Only this personal peace can make Christmas and Christmas real to us. Yes, God has made every effort toward this great reconciliation. "For God so loved the world Son, that whosoever believeth that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him, should not perish but have everlasting life." If men would only bow in humble reconciliation would be com- plite and glorious.

4. Christmas should be a great time for the proclamation

of this great salvation. "All power is given unto Me, both in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature." The collection and giving of gifts to the poor and needy about us far exceeds the wasting of our money and lives in lustful, riotous living in this sacred season; but, along with this, there should be a great time of salvation at home by going and sending out personal soul winners into our homes, towns and communities to win souls to Christ, the Christ of Christmas? When Communion takes over, it will be too late. When our relatives, friends and neighbors are lost and dying in sin, why do we not do some about it? Instead of wasting our time and money in eating and drinking, why not make Christmas a time to go out and win others to Jesus Christ, their Saviour?

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### CHRISTMAS TIME COMING

By John T. Stewart

Bill Monroe and the Bluegrass singers were singing on record this week in Hazard "Christmas Time Is Coming" and excitement fills the air as we first celebrate this religiously and with fun. There will be time heartaches if we are not careful with allowing children to use air guns recklessly or in throwing of firecrackers. Do be careful with your electrical apparatus. Also with heating in your homes, open grates etc. Everyone be careful and have A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

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East Main Street Hazard

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# Merry

# Christmas

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Main Street Hazard

**Fatal Mining Accidents Reduced;  
Commissioner Mandt Gives Report**

The Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals has reported one of the most successful years in the 85-year-history of the agency from the standpoint of mine safety.

In a report submitted to Gov. Edward T. Breathitt, commissioner of the department A. H. Mandt, said fatal mining accidents were held to less than one for every 1,820,000 tons of coal produced.

The report indicated increased activities in mine safety promotion and mine inspection.

Mandt pointed out that the department conducted more than 10,600 mine inspections through November of 1964—a record high number.

In addition, a new program was implemented, to train mine inspectors in extinguishing fires in an experimental mine.

"Our mine inspectors participated in putting out 11 actual mine fires in the past year," Mandt said, "accomplishing an immeasurable saving of property without experiencing an injury."

The Safety Division of the Department of Mines and Minerals trained and examined almost 300 applicants for Mine Foreman Certificates, "representing a substantial increase over previous years," Mandt stated.

Participation of that division in district mine rescue and first aid contests in all the mining fields of the state plus a state-wide contest, were also cited in the report.

The Oil and Gas Conservation Division of the department is,

sued 2,352 drilling permits during the year and supervised the drilling, casing and plugging of all wells.

"In addition, we have been active in appraising the United States General Services Administration on the proper division of mineral leases on the Camp Breckinridge property," Mandt said.

"This is aimed at maximum recovery of oil, gas and coal from the property and promotion of prompt activity of the industries in developing the property."

Mandt also noted in the report that Kentucky was the leader last year in an organization of Mines and Minerals Departments of other states, an active organization dedicated to promotion of mine safety, mineral conservation and their allied problems.

**Smokey Says:**



Monkey-shines with fire have no place in the forest!



**GLAD  
CHRISTMAS  
TIDINGS**

Bells ring out  
merrily for all

our loyal friends and patrons. May we wish you the same generous measure of happiness you've given us over the years with your valued patronage.

**Elmer Davis Gulf Station**

North Main Street Hazard



The carolers, with voices raised in joyful song, express our sincere good wishes for all our friends and patrons. You have made our year a happy one and it is our hope that we've enriched yours.

**DAWAHARE'S OF HAZARD**

Main Street Hazard

**GREETINGS**

Christmastime is here again, and to all our friends we wish a holiday filled with great joy and good health. May the Day be an especially merry and bright one for you and the ones you hold dear.

**Home Lumber Company**

Bridge Street Hazard



# V.P.I. Has New Program In Mining Engineering

## CO-OP PROGRAM IN MINING ENGINEERING

A co-operative program in mining engineering at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute has been developed. The program is designed to meet the unique requirements of the mining industry, and is intended to satisfy the need expressed by prospective and present students in

and in engineering.

The major objective of the cooperation of professionals is to permit students to gain practical experience in the mining field. It is designed to develop a greater appreciation of the value of an engineering education.

The students will be placed in positions that are carefully

selected and under the direct supervision of professionals. This will enable the students to gain practical experience in the mining field. It is designed to develop a greater appreciation of the value of an engineering education.

The participants will have the opportunity to work closely with individuals and groups. The importance of good relationships are the ability to work effectively with others will always be stressed.

The program will give a Spring Quarter. This "LEARN WHILE YOU EARN" program permits the student to obtain an education with practical work experience that cannot be duplicated under the existing program. Because of the generous wage and salary rates in the mining industry, many will be able to pay most, if not all, of their educational expenses at VPI.

VPI, the seventh largest engineering school in the nation, is unique in co-operative education, having had a long experience in this area. In addition to VPI there are sixty institutions of higher learning with a co-operative education program, enrolling in excess of 30,000 students.

It is hoped that this new program in Mining Engineering will be called to the attention of high-school students and teachers as well as to the leaders in industry who are concerned about the professional education of the future leaders.

Requests for further information from students who wish to enter the program, and industrial organizations who wish to cooperate in it, should be made to the Department of Mining Engineering, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Virginia.

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## TO WISH YOU Christmas Blessings

May your family be blessed with a truly joyous holiday, filled with all the peace and happiness of that first Christmas Day.

**Sterling Hardware Company**

Main Street Hazard



# NOEL

The first Noel... a child was born. Our hearts are filled with love and gratitude for the many blessings of Christmas. May your holiday be rich in spiritual joys.

**Newberry's**

Hazard, Kentucky



## Christmas Greetings

Trimming the tree, hanging up stockings, exchanging greetings... treasured moments for all of us at this festive time. May we wish you many such moments, and a happy holiday.

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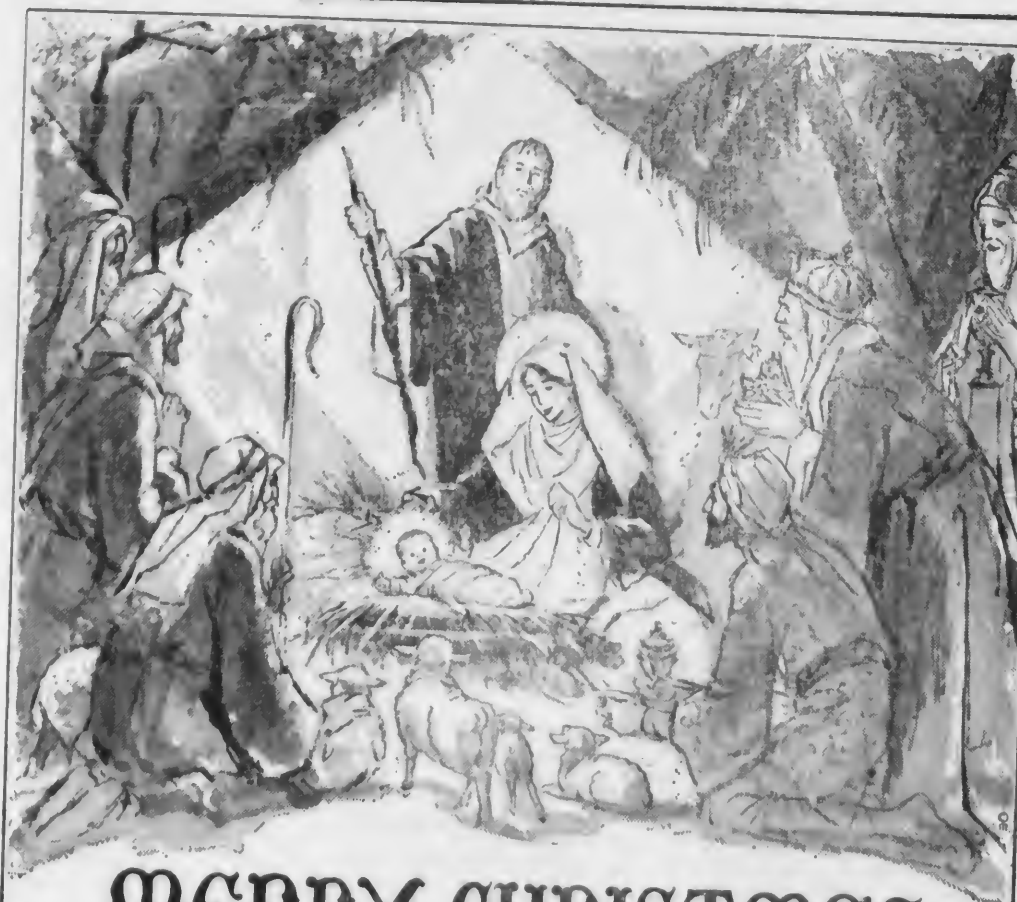


## Greetings

Christmas is a feeling... a spirit of well-being and cheer that pervades the very air in this wonderful season. We offer you our sincere wishes for the happiest of Christmases for you and yours.

**Home Office Supply Company**

Main Street Hazard



## MERRY CHRISTMAS

Oh come let us adore Him... and recapture the joy that filled the hearts of those who knelt to worship on that first Christmas Day. With deep sincerity, we extend our greetings and wish each and every one a truly happy and holy Holiday. It is our fervent hope that the blessed peace of Bethlehem will be with you now and throughout all the days yet to come.

**Citizens State Bank**

Main Street

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# Shoemaker Gives The Greatest Gift of All: Love To Others

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There lived in the city of Marseilles, a hundred years ago, an old shoemaker, loved and honored by all his neighbors, who affectionately called him "Father Martin."

One Christmas he sat alone in his little shop reading of the visit of the wise men to the infant Jesus, and of the gifts they brought, and he said to himself "If tomorrow were the first Christmas and if Jesus were to be born in Marseilles this night, I know what I would give Him!" He arose and took from a shelf

rest. Hardly had he closed his eyes, it seemed, when he heard a voice call his name, "Martin!" Intuitively, he felt aware of the identity of the speaker, "Martin, you have longed to see Me. Tomorrow I shall pass by your window. If you see Me and bid Me enter, I shall be your guest and sit at your table."

He did not sleep that night for joy. Before it was yet dawn he arose and tidied up his little shop. Fresh sand he spread on

the floor, and green bows of fir he wreathed along the rafters. On the table he placed a loaf of white bread, a jar of honey, a pitcher of milk; and over the fire he hung a pot of coffee. His simple preparations were complete.

When all was in readiness, he took up his vigil at the window. He was sure he would know the Master. As he watched the driving sleet and rain in the cold, deserted street, he thought of the joy that would be his when he sat down and broke bread with his Guest.

Presently he saw an old street sweeper pass by, blowing upon his thin, gnarled hands to warm them. "Poor fellow! He must be half frozen," thought Martin. Opening the door, he called out to him, "Come in, my friend, and warm, and drink a cup of hot coffee." No further urging was needed, and the man gratefully accepted the invitation.

An hour passed, and Martin next saw a poor, miserably clothed woman carrying a baby. She paused, wearily, to rest in

the shelter of his door way. Quickly he flung open the door, "Come in and warm, while you rest," he said to her "You are not well?" he asked.

"I am going to the hospital. I hope they will take me in, and my baby," she explained. "My husband is at sea, and I am ill, without a soul to whom I can go."

"Poor child!" cried the old man. "You must eat something while you are getting warm. No. Let me give a cup of milk to the little one. Ah! What a bright, pretty little fellow he is! Why you have no shoes for him!"

"Then he shall have this lovely pair I finished yesterday," And Martin took down the soft little, snow white shoes he had looked at the evening before, and slipped them on the child's feet. They fitted perfectly. And shortly the young mother went her way full of gratitude, and Martin went back to his post at the window.

Hour after hour went by, and many needy souls shared

the meager hospitality of the old cobbler, but the expected Guest did not appear.

At last, when night had fallen, Father Martin retired to his cot with a heavy heart. "It was only a dream," he sighed. "I did hope and believe, but he has not come."

Suddenly, so it seemed to his weary eyes, the room was flooded with a glorious light; and to the cobbler's astonished vision there appeared before him, one by one, the poor street sweeper, the sick mother and her baby, and all the people whom he had aided during the day. Each one smiled at him and said "Have you not seen me? Did I not sit at your table?" and vanished.

Then softly out of the silence he heard again the gentle voice, repeating the old, familiar words "Whoso shall receive such little child in My name receiveth Me. For I was hungry, and ye gave Me meat; I was thirsty, and ye gave Me drink; I was a stranger, and ye took Me in."

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## Christmastime Greetings

Out of the East the Wise Men came to seek and find a Holy Child.  
In the same spirit of reverence and wonder, joy and gratitude,  
mankind turns each year to the Christmas story, to seek and find new inspiration  
and guidance. Let us, this Christmastime, rededicate ourselves to the meaning and  
message of His birth, that we may achieve "Peace on Earth, Good Will to All Men."

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# Kentucky Senator Receives Award

SENATOR JOHN SHERMAN COOPER HONORED  
BY NATIONAL WATERWAYS CONFERENCE

The National Waterways Conference meeting in Memphis presented to Senator John Sherman Cooper (R-Ky.) its Award of Appreciation for his work in the Congress for the development of the Ohio River and its tributaries. The Award was presented to Senator Cooper after he had spoken to the Conference on December 11th on "The Public Interest in the Development of the Nation's Waterways." The Conference is composed of representatives of industry and agriculture from 25 States, including Kentucky, in the Ohio and Mississippi Valleys.

Senator Cooper was introduced by Mr. Paul Blazer, Chairman of the Board of Ashland Oil Company, who told the Conference that Senator Cooper

had been instrumental in securing the first appropriation in 1954 to begin the development and modernization of the locks and dams on the Ohio River. He pointed out that since that time \$20 billion has been invested in new plant facilities on the Ohio River.

In his speech, Senator Cooper said, "With a period of education and progress behind us, the task today is to turn our

attention—in the Congress and throughout the nation—to the prospects for continued conservation and development of water resources, vital to the future of our country—The Country's needs for water will expand astronomically, yet our technical experts predict that in twenty years we will not have enough water to meet the needs of our nation, unless we enlarge and strengthen our programs for conservation and use of water resources, at every level of government."

"It is in this context—the national interest, the needs of our young people in the future—that I want to speak of the proposals which are being urged, with mounting insistence, to impose tolls or user charges on the historically free waterways of America."

"At a time when the nation's future is vitally dependent on the full development of its water resources, the pursuit of a dynamic policy of water resource development, adequate for the needs of our growing economy, is urgently demanded by our national commitment to economic growth and freedom of opportunity. Special charges and taxes on the use of America's historically free waterways,

landing doubtless to further extensions of the user charge approach to flood control and other beneficial purposes, would serve only to retard essential development."

In the Award made to Senator Cooper, the Conference noted that the Senator "who was named two years ago by the Washington press corps as 'the ablest Republican in Congress,' is a top-ranking member of the Senate Public Works Committee and an outstanding leader in the development of America's precious water resources, including navigational improvements wherever economically feasible; and that coming from a state which has 1,200 miles of navigable streams, he is keenly mindful of the great importance of low-cost water transportation—not only in the Commonwealth of Kentucky but throughout the Ohio Valley and the rest of the nation—and its beneficial effect on the country's economic structure."

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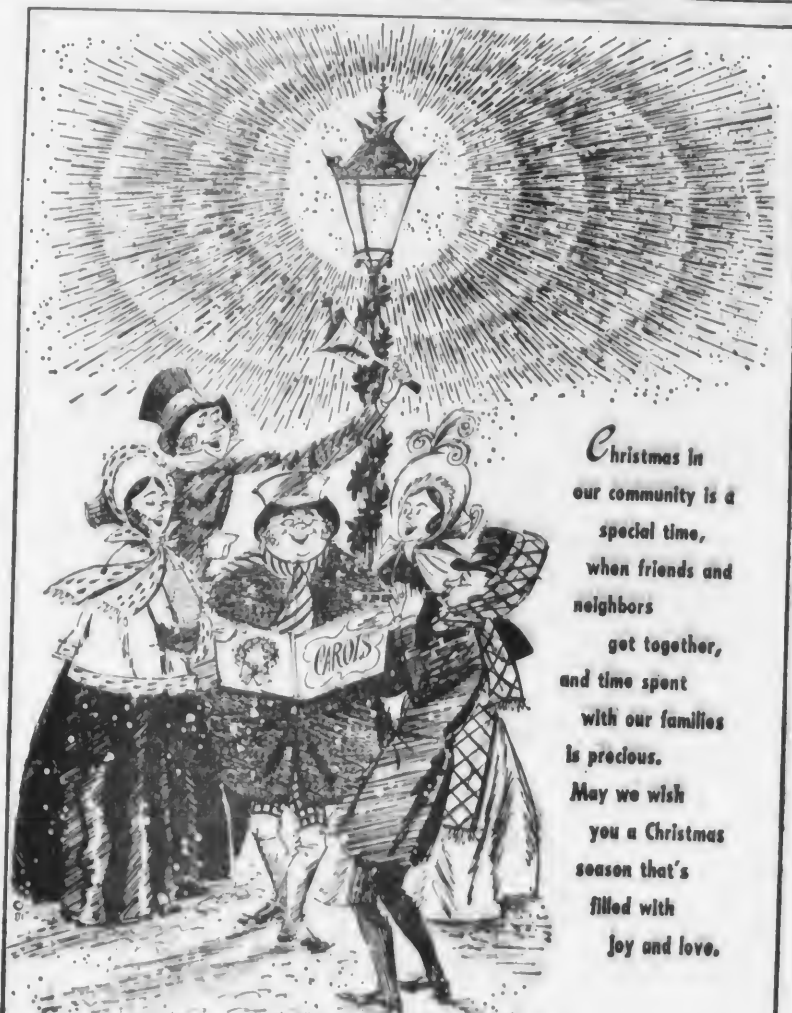


## GREETINGS

Here's wishing you an old-fashioned Christmas, filled with all the joys of fellowship and good cheer, and a holiday season brightened by many merry moments for your entire family.

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Christmas in our community is a special time, when friends and neighbors get together, and time spent with our families is precious. May we wish you a Christmas season that's filled with joy and love.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
Sunday Worship	7:00 p. m.
Family Worship — Wednesday	7:00 p. m.

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Bible School	10:00 a. m.
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Evening Service	6:00 p. m.
Wednesday Service	7:00 p. m.

## HULL MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN

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Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
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Sunday School	9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
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Evening Worship	6:00 p. m.
Wednesday Service	6:00 p. m.

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Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
Church Mission Monday	5:00 p. m.
Teachers Meeting Wednesday	6:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday	7:00 p. m.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

David Conley, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.

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William Brown, Pastor

Sunday School	10:15 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:15 a. m.
Prayer Meeting Thursday	7:00 p. m.
Young People's Meeting Monday	7 P. M.

## BOWMAN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Leslie Rogers, Pastor

Sunday:	9:45 a. m.
The Church at Study	10:50 a. m.
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Wednesday:	7:00 p. m.
Youth Prayer Meeting	7:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Service	8:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal	

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## TOWN MOUNTAIN BAPTIST

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Sunday School	9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a. m.
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Liberally mix several old tin cans full of fun, with a mop of hair that always seems to need to be cut. Sprinkle in streaks of earnestness, pride, courage, envy, and maybe even a little fear.

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Worship this week

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Rev. Clifton Courtney, Jr., Pastor

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Baptist Training Union	6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship Hour	7:00 p. m.
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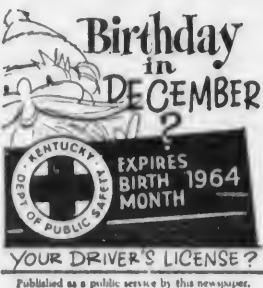
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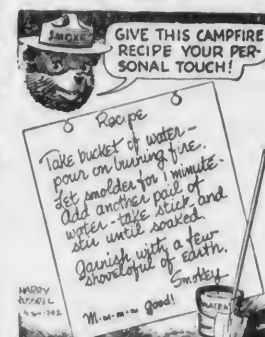
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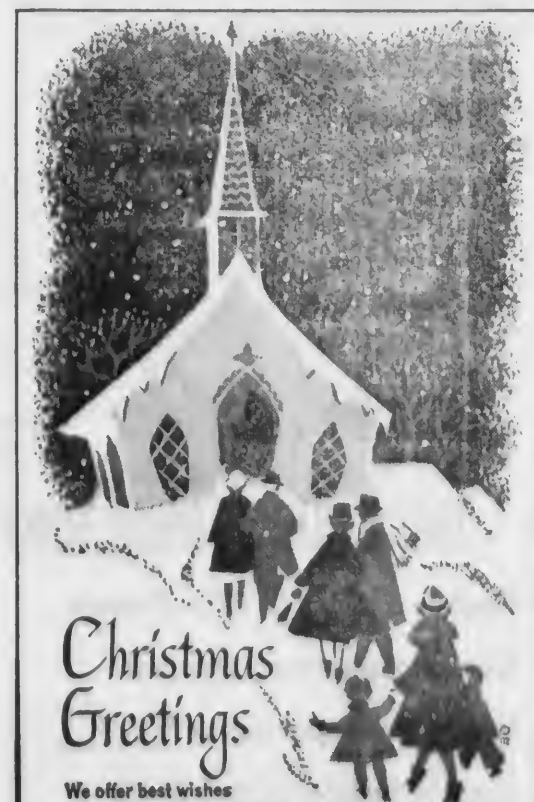


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